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Wiley Loughmiller Replaces W.T. Hanes

W. T. Hanes, for eleven years, Superintendent of Cameron Public Schools left his \$7,878 job here for one in Irving, near Dallas, for \$15,000 annually, an official car furnished and an expense account. His resignation was made effective July 1 with acceptance by the board Monday night on motion of Max Howard.

Hanes said that he had been recommended to the Irving position.

LEAVES FOR IRVING, TEXAS



W. T. HANES

tion by the Texas Education Agency and that "If anyone, as rumor would have it, ran me out of Cameron then I want to thank them for running me into such a good paying job."

After painstaking deliberation and the assertion by one member that "I'd give \$50 not to have to vote on Hanes successor," Wiley Loughmiller for five years Principal of Ada Henderson, was elected to replace Hanes at a salary of \$6,250 per year. J. R. "Dick" Young was an applicant for the position.

Asked by board president H. B. Pressley "Would you like to serve as Superintendent?" Loughmiller replied "I would like it better than anything, I don't mind telling you that I am ambitious and I believe that I know the kind of school that you and the people want."

Morgan Layfield, high school principal, was asked if he would consider taking the job and he re-asserted as he had done privately to board members, that he did. See HANES on back page

Rabies Control Report Optimistic

Fox rabies epidemics in several West Texas Counties have apparently been controlled for the rest of the summer. State Health Commissioner Henry A. Holle reported today.

Dr. Holle said his optimistic estimate of the worrisome situation in Presidio, Kinney, Brewster, and Schleicher Counties was based on a decrease in the number of fox heads coming into the State Health Department laboratory for diagnosis, and the fact that local health authorities in the counties have all reported excellent cooperation in county-wide rabies control campaigns.

Meanwhile, two South Texas counties - Starr and Hidalgo - are meeting dog rabies outbreaks head on.

Increasing incidence of fox rabies in the wide open spaces of West Texas began early this spring. Prior to that time the area had been practically free of the infection.

Human exposures to mad foxes have occurred, and livestock losses have been reported.

Local health officials in the counties involved, acting under terms of the state rabies control law, declared emergencies as the threats to human health became acute. Each county invoked dog vaccination programs, stray dog pickups, and fox population reduction campaigns.

In Milam County the Health Department reported one instance of rabies in a Skunk.

Cameron Water, Sewer Systems Declared Inadequate; U. S. Money Permits Survey

Preliminary planning for additional sewer and water facilities will be developed by the city of Cameron, Texas, with advances totalling \$3525 approved today by Commissioner John C. Hazeltine of the Community Facilities Administration.

The city will use an advance of \$2200 to make preliminary studies and surveys for construction of additional water facilities, including supply, storage, pumping, distribution and treatment. It's present supply and treatment consists of raw water from the Little River which is disinfected by the use of chlorine. The State Health Department has on a number of occasions recommended to the city that the water be filtered.

With an advance of \$1325 the city will prepare preliminary studies and surveys for construction of additions and extensions to its sewerage collection system and a new treatment plant. The State Department of Health has declared the present system inadequate, especially the sewage treatment plant.

The estimated cost of the proposed water facilities and the new sewer facilities will be determined when the engineers report of the preliminary studies has been completed.

The firm of Joe J. Rady and Co. Consulting Engineers of Fort Worth will soon have the report

completed. The improvements will be financed through sale of revenue bonds and, or general obligation bonds. Construction of both projects is expected to start late this year.

Rockdale Baptists Hold Social

Members of the Adult Choir at Meadowbrook Baptist Church in Rockdale enjoyed a social at the home of their director, Mr. and Mrs. Max McClaren, Friday night.

Thirty-six attended the affair that was held on the lawn of the McClaren home in the Country Club Addition in Cameron.

The group enjoyed fellowship and fun throughout the evening. Refreshments consisted of a variety of sandwiches, deviled eggs, fritos, potato chips, sliced tomatoes, tea and home-made ice cream.

Officers of the choir include Gene Gimble, president. Mrs. John Holder, vice-president. Dale Cockrell, secretary-treasurer. and Mrs. Hurschall Joseph, social chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Matula and Monica visited in the home of the Earl Esslinger family in Corpus Christi recently.

Reverend Harland M. Irvin Jr. Ordained As Episcopal Priest

The Reverend Harland M. Irvin Jr. was ordained to the Priesthood of the Episcopal Church on Wednesday morning at St. Thomas Episcopal Church in Rockdale.

The ordination and accompanying celebration of Holy Communion was done by the Rt. Rev. John E. Hines, Bishop of Texas and was attended by about 150 ministers and lay people from throughout the diocese of Texas.

Reverend James McKeown, former vicar of St. Thomas and of All Saints, Cameron, and now rector of a church in Jacksonville, gave the ordination sermon. Preface to the ordinal was read by Reverend John Wolverton, presentation was made by Reverend

George Carlisle, Litany was read by Rev. Arthur Calloway, and Reverend John McCormick read the Epistle.

Central act of the service of ordination is the laying on of hands. It was described by Bishop Hines in these words: "Thus with unbroken continuity since the days of Jesus, to those whose lives are open to receive, is given the spiritual heritage of Christ's authority and power. In this act, there is the 'outward and visible sign' of the bestowal of a Spiritual gift, the blessing and setting apart of one for Holy Service."

Following the one and one-half hour service a luncheon was served to out-of-town guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Warren.

O. J. Thomas Principal Again Under Fire By School Board

Fire in the School Board meeting Thursday night actually generated light in the end.

In the future all orders to teachers will come from the school Board, Pressley, through the Superintendent, to the Department Heads or Principals and thence to the teachers.

This order came on motion of Don G. Humble following a vehement expression from Coach Leo Jackson that he had felt the need of a clear understanding as to whom he should look for orders. With establishment of this policy he will now look to the Superintendent who in turn will learn the will of the board, either directly in meetings or from the President of the Board Pressley.

Additional clearing away of indefiniteness was accomplished on insistence of Coach Jackson when three Sporting Goods Firms were named by the board from which he is to obtain formal bids in the future. Additional firms may be requested for bids at the discretion of the Athletic Head. The firms listed were C and S Sporting Goods Company of Austin, Lowe and Campbell of

Dallas and W. A. Holt and Company of Waco.

In other purchasing done during the evening the Whittle Music Co. of Dallas received on low bid of \$242.35 an order for sheet music, to fill out the school's library for the upcoming Triple A competition.

A discussion of the fitness of C. L. Saddy to be principal of O. J. Thomas school resulted in a motion to suspend him, pending a thoroughgoing investigation of his fitness. The motion failed 4-2. Earlier in the year Saddy had been given notice that he would not be re-hired, based on his admission, in writing, that he had falsified Average Daily Attendance records at the O. J. Thomas school, claiming to the Superintendent that he had done so to keep from jeopardizing state aid for the full complement of teachers. He was re-hired after the School Board concluded that it would require him to work as closely with the Superintendent as do the other principals in Cameron Schools, a thing which he had not been doing in the past. His complete fitness for the job however has

Cancer Society Organizes In Milam County

The Milam County Cancer Society held an organizational meeting in the auditorium of Yoe High School Thursday night at 8 p.m. and nominating committees will report back at another meeting in the same place and time on Thursday, July 12.

The nominating committee is composed of Drayton McLane, Wiley Smith Jr., Dr. E. O. Smith and Mrs. R. L. Terry.

Dr. E. O. Smith presided over the initial meet with 14 present. A. J. Knight of Rockdale was the only one in attendance from that city.

Aims of the organization are 1. Education 2. Service with the raising of funds necessary in the carrying on of these two aims. Dr. E. O. Smith said. In the matter of

Junior Florist Design School At Convention

A junior florist design school will be one of the features of the annual convention of the Texas State Florists Association which opens in Austin Sunday and runs through Wednesday.

In most instances, the junior designers are sons and daughters of florists all over the state who will attend the convention, said by Bernie Hillen, general chairman in Ledbetter Park. This event will be an Explorer Co-Ed Splash Party.

Explorer Post No. 84, sponsored by the First Presbyterian Church of Cameron is the host unit with Johnny Solomon as the Event Director.

Explorers from Cameron, Rockdale, Sharp, Lett and Marlin will participate in this social event.

Exploring is the older boys program of the Boy Scouts of America.

Free Chest X-Ray Offered In Cameron July 6 Thru 10

When a doctor's wife tells him "I can see right through you" she is seeing things which couldn't even be detected by an X-Ray machine.

Chest X-Ray requiring one minute of your time is offered free to the public today by people who are desirous of ridding America of the blight of Tuberculosis and the annual X-Ray drive is responsible for a lowering of the incidence of the long standing blight on the health of America.

The Milam County Medical Society, The Milam County Health Unit and the Milam County Tuberculosis Association and the State Department of Health are bringing to Milam County again this week the annual FREE CHEST X-RAY.

During the past week the service was offered in Thorndale at the Barnes Garner Building, it then moved to Rockdale and the American Legion Hall, this Thursday it will be in the Paul Fuchs Building in Buckholts from 12 noon to 5:30.

Coming to Cameron and the

Hefley-Stedman Motor Co. the Free X-Ray equipment will be doing business on Friday, July 6, from 12 noon to 5:30 p.m., on Saturday July 7 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., on Tuesday, July 10, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and the LAST CHANCE on July 11, which is Wednesday of next week from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

A written report is made to each individual at absolutely no cost, stresses the Cameron Committee on publicity.

Rev. E. J. Davis, chairman of the publicity group, points out the necessity for "Eternal Vigilance" against the disease with the statement "A constant guard and yearly examination must be made to avoid Tuberculosis."

The committee, in meeting at the Milam County Health Unit, composed of Mrs. Don Humble, Hinton H. Pruett, Dr. John Bryson, Mrs. Dana Monroe, Mrs. Dick Stedman, Mrs. Glenn Abercrombie, Fred Carroll and Rever-

end E. J. Davis showed their intentions to make an all-out drive for 3,000 chest X-Rays in Cameron this year.

The group will be putting out posters, telephoning and putting out handbills and reminding by public address and radio of the necessity of the X-Ray.

Clerical help is needed and anyone who can offer such assistance to this civic-health enterprise should contact Fred Carroll at 1424 as soon as possible.

First American Speaking CSA Lodge In Texas

Czechoslovak Society Initiates Cameron Lodge Number 460 Sunday

The Czechoslovak Society of America, two years into the second century of its eventful fraternal history initiated Cameron Lodge 460, the first English speaking Lodge of C.S.A. in Texas on Sunday, July 1 at Marak Hall.

A seventeen member initiation team arrived on the Santa Fe Chief from Chicago, Saturday at 4:15 p.m. and had the distinction of being the first passengers to dismount from the flyer in Cameron in more than a quarter of a century. Bonnie Westbrook, longtime conductor on the Santa Fe, said "It's the first time since I was a boy." The Chief stopped for the Chicago entourage on its return trip to Chicago on Monday.

The impressive initiation services of the lodge which boasts

48,000 members and 300 lodges in the United States, half of which are American speaking lodges began ceremonies at 3 p.m. Sunday, as a member of Temple, Caldwell and Cameron lodges were ushered on behalf of their lodges, with majestic precision before a representative of the five points of the CSA star the points of which represent Justice, Prudence, Charity, Brotherhood and Service. At each station the representatives were challenged in the ritual of the order.

Born in St. Louis, Missouri on March 4, 1854 the lodge with headquarters today in Chicago and carrying forty millions of life insurance coverage and the modern health and accident coverage, in fact, all forms of modern insurance.

See CZECHOSLOVAKS on back pg.

Bible School Opens At Ben Arnold For Two Weeks Monday

Community Vacation Bible School at the Ben Arnold United Evangelical & Reformed Church begins on Monday, July 9 through Friday, July 20.

Opening Monday July 9 at 8 a.m. the school, to be held in the United Educational Building from 8 to 10:30 a.m. Monday through Friday of each of the two weeks. Instructions will be in Bible study, handicraft, singing recreation and so forth.

All children of the church and community three through eleven years of age, are invited. Free will offering.

Santa Fe Seeks To Pull Off Mail Trains 5 and 6

The City of Cameron et al are being sued by the Gulf Colorado and Santa Fe lines in Harris County Courthouse in Houston at 10 a.m. on Thursday, July 26.

A hearing before the Railroad Commission has been set as result of a petition filed by attorneys for the GC & SF asking for the discontinuance of trains 5 and 6 which run nightly between Galveston and Temple.

The suit, if won by the railway company, will cost every town along its route heavily in mail service unless there are some drastic changes made in the present operation of other trains on the line.

The north and southbound 5 and 6 are local trains with mail cars for sorting the mail. They pick up parcel post while the other trains carry only the "Closed Pouch" mail, according to Postmaster John Hays. They do not stop for parcel post.

Despite earnings of the company overall attorneys will undoubtedly point to the low or non-

existent profit in the operation of 5 and 6

It is going to be the duty of citizens from all the affected towns along the route to make the commonwealth felt by strength of numbers in attendance at the hearing and there is time for well-planned strategy conferences before the hearing date.

Drayton McLane, president of the Chamber of Commerce has indicated that his organization is going to get into the fight and so opens the Chamber offices as a

District 2x Lion Governor Here For Cameron Lion Installation

District 2X Lion's Club Governor Douglas Bertling installed officers of the Cameron Lion's Club

clearing house for ideas which, well presented, will be the ammunition capable of destroying the petition for discontinuance.

at the annual ladies night installation at the Cameron Country Club on Tuesday night, June 26.

Also as distinguished speaker of the evening the Governor told of the importance of the Lions International in bringing the nations closer together. Of the work of the Texas Clubs in promoting the Lions Club Crippled Children's Camp at Kerrville which is one of the largest of its kind and supported entirely by Lions Clubs of the state.

The local work of the Lions Club was stressed in a talk by the outgoing president Dr. George Bowman. He recounted the work of his 1955-56 term which was highlighted by the Annual Lions Club Carnival on the Courthouse lawn, the broom sale for the benefit of the Lighthouse for the blind and numerous other lesser activities.

Following Dr. Bowman's talk See LIONS on back page

FARM BUREAU QUEEN CANDIDATES



Shirley Marie Schramm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Schramm Junior in Thorndale High school. Member of the F. H. A. Chapter, Next year will be a twiler in the band. Attends the Lutheran Church Thorndale, Texas.



Margie Jane Mayer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mayer Cameron, Texas. Route 1. Age 16, Junior in C. H. Yoe High school, Cameron, Texas. Member of the F. H. A. Chapter, and also of the Catholic Youth Organization.

Cameron Youths Enlist In Army

Three Cameron boys, J. L. Kirk Bobby Williams, and Buddy Thompson, who enlisted in the U. S. Army recently have received their orders to report to Fort Bliss Texas where they will receive 8 weeks of basic training.

After basic training the boys will be home on leave before being transferred to the 498th Engineer Battalion at Fort Ord, California.

W. T. Hanes, on the subject of the superior student, said that "The people are not yet ready to spend the amount of money necessary to hire additional teachers to make the ideal situation for the mentally superior student. "It is a fact, he said, that in this country a man can be sent to prison for 12 years and then get out in six to eight years but the student. See O. J. Thomas - Back Page

LITTLE RIVER PHILOSOPHER WANTS THE RIGHT OF BEING MISQUOTED EXTENDED DOWN TO ALL LEVELS

Editor's note: The Little River philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Little River will get nowhere with his idea this week, but does he ever?

Dear editor: I never have worried about the privileges other people have so long as mine are holding up, but when a privilege comes along that doesn't cost anything and other people are entitled to, I'm in favor of scattering it around.

What I'm leading up to is the privilege Congressmen and other Washington officials have of being misquoted.

You take a big-shot Washington official, he can rear back and make a statement to the newspaper reporters, and when it comes out in print and sounds a whole lot different and worse in the light of sober afterthought, the bigshot can correct himself by saying he was misquoted.

Some people criticize them for this, saying they're trying to crawl fish out, but I don't hold to that at all. What I'd like to see is more universal use of this idea.

Take a man who's stood an in-law's visit about as long as he can and makes a remark to his wife along this line, and peace and harmony are destroyed. The next

day, especially if it had the desired result and the in-law took off for home, he could write him saying he was misquoted, that his statement had been taken out of context, as they say in Washington.

Or say I get a letter from the bank saying my note is due. If I could get around the situation by saying I'd been misquoted on the due date, when I was quoted as saying July 1, I meant to say I'd pay it back October 1, and the bank would correct the error, I'd feel like I was getting treatment equal to a Congressman and his boners.

The man who has never put his foot in his mouth hasn't shown up around here yet, and this misquoting angle is the handiest answer I've ever seen to the problem.

Any time you don't agree with anything I write in The Herald blame yourself for misquoting me.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Farmer Aid In Reclaiming Tax On Gas Offered

R. L. Phinney, District Director for Internal Revenue Service in Austin, Texas, today announced availability of a 15-page IRS booklet designed to help farmers file claims for refund of Federal tax paid on gasoline for farming purposes.

Titled "Publication 308", the

free instruction book explains in simple language how to claim a refund of the tax on gasoline used during the 6-month period January 1 through June 30, 1956.

It also tells how the new law relieves farmers from the Federal excise taxes on diesel and special motor fuels.

Refund claims are to be filed between July 1 and October 1. "Publication 308" and gas tax refund forms may be obtained from your local Internal Revenue office or from county agricultural agents, according to Mr. R. L. Phinney.

South Texas farmers may obtain a refund of the Federal excise tax on gasoline which is used for farming purposes by filing a claim at any time after June 30 and before October 1, 1956. R. L. Phinney, District Director of Internal Revenue Service in Austin, announced today.

Claims for the present Federal tax rate of 2-cents a gallon are to be made on Form 2240 and should be filed with the U. S. District Director of Internal Revenue for the available at Internal Revenue offices, from county agricultural agents, and at some banks and post offices.

Initial refund payments will concern gasoline purchased and used during the first six months of 1956 according to Mr. Phinney. Refunds will be limited to Federal tax on gasoline which is used by a farmer for farming purposes, in carrying on a trade or business, on a farm located in the U.S.A. A farmer may also request a refund of the tax on any gasoline which is used on his farm by a custom operator or a neighbor in connection with cultivating the soil, or raising or harvesting any agricultural or horticultural commodity.

Mr. Phinney cautions, "farmers expecting to file claims should keep ample records to enable Internal Revenue to verify accuracy of the amount claimed."

HOW TO DRIVE ON A SUPERHIGHWAY

If a motor trip is included in your vacation plans for this summer, chances are that you will spend some share of your travel time on a superhighway. Here, from the editors of Changing Times, The Kiplinger Magazine, are some superhighway driving rules to help you avoid an accident.

Keep your speedometer at a familiar speed, one you're used to and can handle. Remember that you don't have to travel at the top limit. Slow down for bad weather or bad road conditions. Observe signs reducing speed limits.

Don't do anything but drive. Avoid the kind of reckless driving while you're at the wheel. Don't look at maps, toll tickets or the scenery. Even a little error at 70 may be fatal.

Drive conservatively in all respects. Nearly 22 percent of turnpike accidents are caused by failure to observe ordinary driving rules. Stay at least 20 feet, or a car's length, behind the car ahead for every 10 mph you are traveling. At 70 mph that's nearly half the length of a football field, and that comes from short-fused tempers. It's bad on any road, but it's dynamite on a superhighway. Beware of impatience, bursts of speed, excessive use of brakes, bumper riding, butting in and out.

Never stop on the highway. Pull onto the side strip, making sure all the wheels are off the paving. If you need help on a turnpike, hang a white handkerchief from the window. Don't cross or walk on the highway or attempt to flag down cars.

Slow down as you approach tollgates and before turning off at exits and restaurant and service station entrances. Remember that the usual exit ramp is designed for a speed of 25 mph: 50 is too fast.

Stay awake, really awake. Stop for coffee frequently or pull off the road for a cat nap if you are sleepy. Avoid highway hypnosis by watching everything that is happening on the road ahead of you.

Don't use the rear lights of trucks as a driving guide at night, and, don't risk driving a car with poor tires or in poor mechanical condition.

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1330 ON YOUR DIAL
MONDAY through FRIDAY

- 5:28 Sign On
- 5:30 Spanish Language Show
- 6:00 Spanish Language Show
- 6:15 Good Morning Texas
- 6:30 Market News
- 6:35—Good Morning Texas
- 7:00 a.m.—National News
- 7:05 a.m.—Coffee Cup Capers
- 7:35 a.m.—Coffee Cup Capers
- 8:00 a.m.—NEWS
- 9:00 Devotional
- 9:15 For Women Only
- 9:30 For Women Only
- 9:30 For Women Only
- 10:00 NEWS
- 10:05 a.m.—Hillbilly Roundup
- 10:45 Rev. Bowley
- 11:00 Here's To '56
- 11:20 Green Stamp Jackpot
- 11:30 Gospel Song Time
- 11:45 What's Cooking?
- 12:00 NNEWS (Nat'l)
- 12:15 Local News
- 12:30 Country Visitor
- 12:45 Rural Party Line
- 1:00 Easy Listening
- 1:30 Easy Listening
- 2:00 NEWS
- 2:05 p.m.—Perk Up Parade
- 2:30 p.m.—Perk Up Parade
- 3:00 p.m.—Perk Up Parade
- 3:30 Hayloft Jamboree
- 5:30 p.m.—Star Time
- 5:3 p.m.—Teen Time
- 6:00 p.m.—Teen Time
- 6:30 p.m.—Czech Hour
- 7:00 p.m.—Local News
- 7:15 p.m.—National News
- 7:30 p.m.—Sign Off

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SATURDAY SCHEDULE

- 5:28 Sign On
- 5:30 Spanish Language Show
- 6:00 Spanish Language Show
- 6:15 Good Morning Texas
- 6:30 Market News
- 6:35 Good Morning Texas
- 6:40 Texas Today
- 6:55 Good Morning Texas
- 7:00 NEWS
- 7:05 Coffee Capers
- 7:30 NEWS
- 7:35 Coffee Capers
- 8:00 NEWS
- 8:05 Coffee Capers
- 8:30 Coffee Capers
- 9:00 Sat. Morning Melody's
- 9:15 For Women Only
- 9:30 Sat. Morning Melody's
- 10:00 NEWS
- 10:05 Hillbilly Roundup
- 10:30 Hillbilly Roundup
- 10:45 Rev. Bowley
- 11:00 Here's To '56
- 11:20 Here's To '56
- 11:30 Gospel Song Time
- 11:45 Farm Bureau Roundup
- 12:00 NEWS (Nat'l)
- 12:15 Local News
- 12:30 Country Visitor
- 12:45 Rural Party Line
- 1:00 Top Ten
- 1:30 Top Ten
- 2:00 Richard Wilkerson
- 2:30 Johnny Susik
- 3:00 The Range Rider
- 3:30 Hayloft Jamboree
- 4:00 p.m.—Music For You.
- 7:00 NEWS
- 7:15 Sign Off

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SUNDAY SCHEDULE

- 6:58 Sign On
- 7:00 NEWS
- 7:15 Sunday Hymn Time
- 7:30 Sunday Hymn Time
- 8:00 Sunday Hymn Time
- 8:30 Devotional (Church of Christ)
- 8:45 Rev. Robbins
- 9:00 NEWS
- 9:05 Lean Back and Listen
- 9:30 Lean Back and Listen
- 10:00 Musical Reveries
- 10:30 Songs of Gospel
- 11:00 Church Services
- 12:00 NEWS
- 12:15 Music For Sunday
- 12:30 Music For Sunday
- 1:00 Vrazel Playboys
- 1:30 Sunday Parade Of Hits
- 2:00 Sunday Parade of Hits
- 2:30 Sunday Parade of Hits
- 3:00 Sunday Parade of Hits
- 3:30 Sunday Parade of Hits
- 4:00 Sunday Parade of Hits
- 4:30 Czech Hour
- 5:00 Czech Hour
- 5:30 Behind Prison Walls
- 6:00 World Concert Hall
- 6:30 Sunday Evening Serenade
- 6:30 Sunday Evening Serenade
- 7:00 NEWS
- 7:15 Sign Off

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CLASSIFIED ADS GET

QUICK RESULTS

Surplus Foodstuffs In American Warehouses Cost Millions Daily

A lease for warehousing space for surplus food commodities to be dispensed by Milam County was on the desk of County Judge Charlie Smith on Tuesday, April 3.

The contract was for 968 square feet of floor space at the Santa Fe Freight Depot.

There are 1,941 known Milam Countians, at this time, eligible to draw the agricultural commodities according to Smith.

Smith reported early in April that it would take about two weeks for completion of all necessary arrangements for the actual dispensing of the food. Disbursements, he said then, would be on a weekly and possibly a twice monthly basis.

Eligibility was set up, at that time, with maximum income levels affecting eligibility as \$60 income per month for one person, \$115 income for 2 to 3 persons, \$140 income for 4 to 5 persons, \$165 for 6 to 7 persons and \$180 income per month for 8 to 9 persons. \$15 per month could be added to each person in the family of 10 or more.

Three months have elapsed and the records of eligibility according to the Judge's earlier statement of being ready within the month of April, are undoubtedly ready.

Now, however, with some cheese and butter already on hand in Cameron, the program is said by the Judge to be held up pending a new order which would eliminate the bookkeeping and make all who are eligible for such commodities receive the same amount of such foodstuffs without regard to any classifications.

The County Judge was authorized by the Commissioners Court in April meeting to have full authority to act in all matters pertaining to the commodity program.

Judge Smith now assures that all is in readiness to start the program but he is waiting on a new order which will simplify the bookkeeping.

In a recent release by the CARE organization which solicits funds for sending the surplus commodities overseas it was noted that the U.S. Government is spending more than one million dollars daily on warehousing of the surplus.

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Tax Equalization Order Of Day In These Parts

This is tax equalization time.

The city board is hard at it and now a complete roster for the Cameron Independent School District equalizing job have now signed in.

The School District board consists of E. L. Wied, Clyde Hensley and V. L. Angell.

On the Milam County side the Commissioners Court acts like an equalization board. In June the board sent out cards and it has set out July 16 as the next meeting date as a board of equalization.

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Wendts Of Vernon Fete Mary Hensley At Robinson Home

Miss Mary Frances Hensley, bride-elect of Lt. William Arthur Robinson, was honored last Saturday morning with a coke party given by Miss Rosemary Wendt, one of the bridesmaids, and her mother, Mrs. Frank T. Wendt, of Vernon, at the home of Mrs. W. A. L. Robinson, 404 East Sixth Street.

The serving table appointments were in the bride's chosen colors, blue and white. A white lace cloth over blue was centered by an arrangement of blue cananions and blue candles. Among the carnations were blue handmade butterflies which the bridesmaids received as favors. The hostesses gift to the bride was a pair of colored hand hemstitched sheets and pillow cases.

The guests were the bride's attendants: Miss Mary Lou Drobey of Palestine, Miss Sara Esslinger of Cameron, Miss Ann Van Matre of Corpus Christi, Miss Andrea Brady of Cameron, and Miss Lou Finerty of Galveston, the bride's mother, Mrs. Roy C. Hensley, and the groom's mother, Mrs. W. A. L. Robinson.

Brides-Elect Given Coffee At Carroll Green's

At a tri-hostess coffee on Saturday, June 16, brides-elect Mary Frances Hensley and Sara Esslinger were honored at the home of Mrs. Carroll Green. Mrs. Frank Perrin and Mrs. Leland Green Sr. assisted as co-hostesses. The coffee was a come and go from 9:30

to 11:30 a.m.

Since the time of this affair, Miss Hensley has been married and Miss Esslinger plans her marriage for July 22.

Mothers of the brides and grooms were members of the houseparty. Mrs. W. A. L. Robinson and Mrs. W. A. Robinson, in the receiving line. Mrs. Hensley and Mrs. Wilkinson of Branchville presided at the guest book while Mrs. Esslinger poured coffee. Also assisting was Pam Green and Vera Perrin.

The refreshment table was covered with a Japanese table cloth owned by Mrs. Leland Green Sr. and was centered with a silver bowl filled with red gladioli.

Fruit juices, strawberries and cantaloupe cubes were served. In a highly decorative arrangement a fresh pineapple was sliced lengthwise with the tops left affixed, the pineapple meat scooped out and replaced with fresh red cherries with stems pointing upward for easy self service.

Forty guests registered during the morning.

Girl Scout Camp Texlake Opens Two Sessions

The Camp Texlake Girl Scout Committee is opening the following units for one week sessions for the period of July 7-14, and July 14-21. Starlight Point for first and second year Intermediates (5th and 6th grades).

Horseshoe Bend for third and fourth year Intermediates (7th and 8th grades).

Tenda and Stonestree will be two week sessions, as listed in the camp folder.

There are still vacancies in Cedar Valley for Brownies during both of these periods.

If further information is needed contact Reverend John Solomon.

Party Honors Mary Hensley At Home Of Lu Wane Asher

Miss Lu Wane Asher and Ann Bradbury honored Miss Mary Hensley with a coke party Friday afternoon at the Jimmy Asher home.

The guests enjoyed the friendly hospitality and the opportunity to see each other and chat about their schools and activities of the past. The hostesses presented Mary a platter to her chosen pottery.

The hostesses served cokes, nuts and home made ice cream.

Those attending were Jane Henderson, Carolyn Russell, Beverly Freeman, Ann Winyard, Nancy Grabein, Norinne Holder, Sara Esslinger, Martha Collins, Mrs. Marguerite Michalka.

Miss Mabel Jeter Mrs. Leona White Give Gadget Party

Miss Mabel Jeter and Mrs. Leona White gave a kitchen gadget shower for Miss Mary Hensley on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. White.

Each guest brought a recipe that would fit the gadget she brought. The hostesses arranged these in a cookbook for the bride-elect.

The round dining table was covered with a blue fringed, linen cloth centered with a floral arrangement of white Oleander.

The hostesses served frosted punch and cookies to the following guests: Ann Bradbury, Jane Henderson, Mrs. Marguerite Michalka, Martha Collins, Jimmie Rae Colburn, Anne Hinyard, Mrs. Shirley Hollas, Rita Reid, Beverly Freeman, Mrs. W. A. L. Robinson, Mrs. W. A. Robinson, Mrs. W. O. Newton, Miss Beth Jeter.

Rose Matula Celebrates 13th Birthday with Party

Miss Rose Matula, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Matula, celebrated her 13th birthday with a party dance at the Simon-George Hall on June 26.

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Mrs. E. Balusek Delegate At Czech Meet

Mrs. Emil Balusek of Buckholts was a delegate to the Mutual Aid Society of the Czech Moravian brethren Church when it held its biennial convention in Seaton, Texas on June 20th and 21st. This occasion marked the 50th anniversary of the founding of the benevolent organization, made up of members of the Czech Moravian Brethren churches of Texas.

The purpose of this organization is to render financial aid to members of the families of the deceased. Furthermore its purpose is to support charitable and benevolent enterprises and undertakings or mutual self-protection. And to perform deeds of love and charity in general, especially among its own membership.

Delegates from 24 local organizations and many guests gathered at Seaton for the convention. In the opening services, led by the Rev. Josef A. Barton of Nelsonville, and the Rev. Gordon Hejl of Granger, the motto of the organization was the theme of the messages "Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ." (Gal. 6:2) "Learn to do well." Is. 1:17 - and "All ye are brethren" (Mat. 23:8)

The total membership of the adult department of the Mutual Aid Society amounts to 1,293 members and the junior section has 207 members. The assessments during the organization during the past 50 years have grown to the sum of over \$100,000.

The charter was renewed with a few minor changes and approved by the State authorities in Austin, Texas.

The evening session on Wednesday, June 20, was devoted to the program of the jubilee celebration. It was led by Mr. J. J. Kostohryz, elder of the Seaton church. John Baletka, president of the Board of Directors, reviewed the history of the organization, Ed. Krenke of Dime Box, spoke about the future plans for its growth. John Trlica of Granger spoke about the financial expansion and O. H. Juren of Fairfield, spoke of the need of this type of service which the Mutual Aid society renders.

During the evening program the choir of the Seaton church took part. Unusually well received was the octet of ministers who sang "Rescue the Perishing" and "The Old Rugged Cross" in harmony.

The historic significance of the date June 20th, in the history of the Czech people was brought out by John Poliska of Ennis, Texas. It was June 20th, 1621 that 21 noblemen were publicly beheaded on the old town square of Prague, Czechoslovakia. Their heads were displayed in iron baskets for 10 years on the Charles Bridge tower overlooking the Moldau River (Vltava River). In such a way did the Hapsburg Dynasty and the church enforce discipline and punishment to all so-called heretics in the old kingdom of Bohemia.

The program was well attended by members and friends from all over Texas. The ladies of the Seaton Church decorated the sanctuary with beautiful flowers and prepared and served delicious meals to all the guests and their friends, the proverbial Czech "kolaches" making their appearance at each meal, to the delight of all present.

Loyalty Essential To Well Being Of Giver

From American Business Women

So necessary are our loyalties to our own happiness that when we have walked into a strange office, and have made a purely commercial bargain with a strange man to give him so much time for so much money, we immediately begin going beyond that cold agreement to make him and his business a new object of our allegiance and our loyalty.

It is not alone our selfish concern for pay that keeps us busily faithful during office hours. All our loyalties are acquired, true; but they gather intensity with swiftness.

Our loyalty to our employer is quickly such that our concern for his interests goes straight on, after hours, wherever we go.

If in the midst of some pleasure jaunt we hear of a danger threatening his affairs, we instantly take a militant, defensive attitude—whether we show it or not. We instinctively identify our own interest with his; what threatens him threatens us; good fortune for him rejoices us as good fortune for ourselves.

Don't ever regard this softness or weakness on your part. Thank God for it, cherish it, develop it, intensify it: for it is one of the most valuable, precious qualities in the personality of every useful, desirable human person. Don't be too much disturbed if you find you have given your loyalty to an unworthy person or cause: the loyalty you have given has come back and enriched your soul. Reason it out as far as you can; but go on with it from there, and make of it all you possibly can.

B&PW Officers Installed June 18 In Cameron

Sunflowers and fern were used in unique decoration of the Business and Professional Women's Club rooms for the installation services held on the evening of June 18. The club's colors are green and gold.

Mrs. Ida Bell Lewis was the installing officer. She used the impressive club emblem installation service. As each officer was installed Mrs. Lewis presented her with a corsage, each representing a color used in the club emblem. Mrs. Roberta Bowling, president, was presented a corsage of flame colored gladioli. Mrs. Julian Brown standing in for the First Vice-president, Mrs. Pruitt, was presented a red corsage and the Second Vice-president Mrs. Ruby Fogel a corsage of blue carnations. Miss Irene Williams, record secretary was installed next and given a corsage of green carnations. Miss Winnie Mace Green, corresponding secretary received a corsage of white carnations and Mrs. Lillie McWilliams, Treasurer, received a corsage of yellow mums.

Mrs. Lewis, in closing the installation service read the club collect and proclaimed this group of women as officers of the B & PW Club of Cameron for the year 1956-57.

The outgoing president, Mrs. Neomi Terry presented the President's pin which she had so proudly worn for the past years to the new president, Mrs. Roberta Bowling.

Mrs. Lewis presented Mrs. Terry with the past president's pin.

Mrs. Bowling closed the pro-

gram with a prayer.

Out of town guests for the evening were Anne Gibson, Gladys Furman, Kathryn Graves and Madeline Hervey of the Temple B & P.W. Club and Mrs. Raymond Williams of Taylor.

Mrs. Bowling, with other club presidents of District Six will attend a meeting in Bryan on June 24 in the home of Mrs. Vicki Bishop District Six Director. Plans will be made for the District Conference to be held in Bryan in October.

Miss Billie Nell Johnson sang "Serenade" and "Peace-d-amor" by Martini and Carol Ann Wilson did two dances, one Spanish and one Hawaiian in costume. She was accompanied by Miss Frances Cox.

Nick Nabours Attends McMurry Summer Session

Nick Nabours, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nabours of 1005 N. Davis, Cameron, is attending summer school at McMurry College in Abilene.

Jerome Vannoy, McMurry registrar, reported that the Cameron youth is one of 268 students signed up for the summer session at McMurry. This figure represents a 20 per cent increase over last summer's enrollment at the Methodist college.

The first term will be completed July 20, with the second term slated for July 23 through August 30, Vannoy said.

Dr. Joe C. Humphrey, academic

dean at McMurry, is directing the summer school and will teach a course in educational administration during the second term.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Senkel, Erna Senkel and Howard Beale spent the Sunday of June 17, visiting friends of Mr. Senkel's in Hamilton, Texas and Shive, Texas. They also attended the Wendland Reunion which was held in the SPJS T Hall in Taylor, Texas on Sunday, June 24th. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Drozd from Houston, Texas also attended the Reunion who is the daughter and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Senkel.

Misses Barbara Macon and Agnes Sheguit spent several days in Houston last week as guests in the home of Miss Macon's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Martin, 5509 Hillman.

THURSDAY, JULY 5, 1956

Home for the week end were Annetta Sheldander, Carol Matula, Pat Moraw, Betty Lou Raska.

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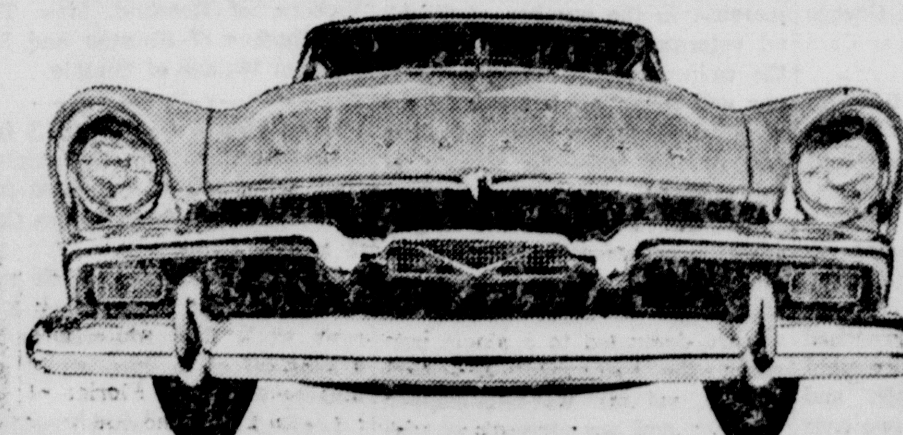
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News From Milano

MRS. DAN ROBINSON

The Tomato shed closed Tuesday, June 26. There are a lot of tomatoes left but the manager of the shed was not realizing a profit, he said.

Mrs. Elmore of Austin visited her daughter and family here last week, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller.

Mrs. J. K. Martin and Mrs. M. H. Wimberly entertained Monday afternoon with a miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Lanelle Haddox, bride-elect of Clarence Haymon. The wedding will be Sunday, July 8 at the First Methodist Church in Milano at 4 p.m.

Bill, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Graham was able to be brought home from the Newton Hospital Friday where he had been a patient for a week. He is doing nicely.

Miss Wilma Jean Pierce spent the weekend in San Antonio in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Beere.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Taylor Sr. of Houston spent Sunday here they came to attend the Westbrook-Taylor reunion at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Westbrook. Mrs. Ella Vanover and Miss Jessie Taylor of Palestine were also present.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Ollie Blackman were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blackman and three children of Baytown. Mr. and Mrs. Virge Blackman and two children of Texas City and Miss Linda Lyles of Baytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hooper and son Jimmie of Houston spent the weekend with his mother, Mr. W. F. Hooker. Other visitors in the Hooker home were Mrs. G. Burdick and Mrs. R. F. Rogers and son, Jewell Frankie of Sugarland.

Miss Mary Lee Taylor of Austin was here Sunday for the Westbrook reunion.

Jewell Hooker has been called back to his work in Houston in the oil field. The rig had been closed three weeks for repairs.

Mrs. Harold Kornagay and baby were Gause visitors recently.

Mrs. Sidell has returned to her home in Houston after a visit here with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilkerson Jr., while she was here she and Mrs. Wilkerson visited in Temple for a few days.

News From Maysfield

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Neal of Lake Charles La., visited his sister, Mrs. Jess Weathers and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilford Thweatt returned Thursday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thweatt and son at McGregor and Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Reaves at Bridgeport. They also went to Plainview, Lubbock and Carlsbad Caverns.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton spent Friday night with their son Bob Newton and Mrs. Newton at Austin.

Mr. A. D. Harvey of Kinsville visited in the H. H. Hartsfield home Thursday night. Mrs. Harvey who had been visiting her uncle returned to Kinsville with him Friday.

Mrs. J. P. Wise returned Tuesday, last week, from a two weeks visit with her children in New York and Philadelphia. Carol Reider who had spent the winter with her grandparents stayed in New York.

Mrs. Herbert Thweatt and children, Mrs. Dock Thweatt and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Carroll McElwath in Lexington on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eichinger went to Caldwell Wednesday for the funeral of Mrs. Eichinger's father. Burial was in the family plot in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Self attended a barbecue at Port Sullivan last Sunday.

Mrs. D. E. Peel of Temple spent Monday night with her mother, Mrs. Ireland.

Mrs. H. C. Ireland and Carole of Houston visited in Maysfield on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Norma Faye Parcus is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. McCarty in Earne.

Rabroker-Klasek

Nuptials Read At Solemn High Mass

Viola Rose Rabroker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rabroker, Westphalia and Joseph Robert Klasek, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Klasek Sr. of Floresville were united in marriage on Tuesday, June 26, in Visitation Church, Westphalia, in a solemn Nuptial High Mass. Celebrant of the Mass was Father George Rabroker, Winnie and Deacon Father Edward Rabroker of Blanco and Monsignor R. P. Schertz, Westphalia as Sub-Deacon. Fathers Rabroker are brothers of the bride and Msgr. Schertz a cousin of the family. Father Buxkemper of Westphalia served as Master of Ceremonies.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attired in a champagne lace dress, made with a moulded bodice and bell skirt. Her accessories were of rose beige. She carried a cascade arrangement of champagne carnations with caladium leaf streamers atop a prayer book, also the wedding rosary her mother used some 43 years ago, for something old she wore a double strand of pearls, gift of the groom, for something new and also carried out the traditional borrowed, blue and penny in the shoe.

Mrs. Frankie Ehler was her sister's matron of honor. Her gown of blue jewel-tone taffeta was made with bateau collar and double pleated skirt and white accessories.

Junior bridesmaids were Mary Rabroker of Dallas and Sandra Mazurek of San Antonio, nieces of the bride and groom respectively. Their dresses were similar in shell pink. All carried bouquets of pink carnations.

Frankie Ehler of Cameron, nephew of the groom was best man. A reception was held in the Parish Hall and a dinner served in the home of the brides parents.

After a short wedding trip the couple will make their home in Cameron.

which Congress intended all disabled veterans to have.

When a veteran has a minor disability, he is less inclined to think of himself as a disabled veteran, but minor disabilities can flare up seriously in later years, and the DAV is the organization that never lets down in its efforts to see that veteran has continuing protection.

All eligibles in this area please contact you local chapter and find out what DAV membership can mean for you!

Ed Schiller Home Scene Of Price-Raney Nuptials

Billie Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Price of Cameron and Lyn Dell Raney, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Raney of Buckholts were married at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Edward Schiller Jr. at 8 p.m., June 30 in a double ring ceremony performed by Rev. H. L. White-side of Marble Falls.

The home was decorated with pink gladioli and rubrum lilies. The bride, gowned in white lace ballerina length dress with cap sleeves and carrying blue carnations and rubrum lilies and veiled in shoulder length white illusion, edged in lace, was given in marriage by her father.

Mrs. Bobbie Price, the bride's sister was Maid of Honor and was dressed in pink organdy, ballerina length with a blue carnation corsage.

The best man was Malcolm Walker of Temple.

In a reception held in the Shiller garden the floral decor was blue carnations and rubrum lilies. A three tier white wedding cake was decorated in pink, topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Mrs. J. H. Raney of Houston served the cake as Miss Nancy Kubish of Cameron poured. Hazel Butler, also of Cameron presided at the brides book.

Mother of the bride wore navy with white accessories, white carnation corsage. The groom's mother was attired in blue with white accessories and white carnation corsage.

The couple departed for the Texas coast for a five day honeymoon trip after which they will be at home in Temple.

Mrs. Raney graduated from Yoe High School in 1955 and attended Temple Jr. College.

Mr. Raney was graduated from Buckholts High and Temple Junior College and is employed in the City room of the Temple Daily Telegram as a reporter.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Raney of Baytown, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Raney and family of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Price and family of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Williams, of Palacios, Mr. and Mrs. James Vickers, of Rosebud, Mrs. Thelma Hughes of Houston and Mrs. Malcolm Walker of Temple.

Sharp Beats Cameron 3 to 2 Last Sunday, July 1, Cameron's Ball Team lost to the team from Sharp in a scheduled Milam County League Game.

Sharp scored 3 runs while making 6 hits and committing 3 errors while Cameron was held to 2 runs off of 5 hits while also making 3 errors.

Leading batters were Florida of Cameron with 2 hits and Riddle of Sharp, also with 2 hits. The winning pitcher was Shelton while the losing pitcher was Sapp.

Cameron next plays Rockdale Sunday afternoon at 2:00 p.m., July 8th here. The team, which is sponsored by the players and Cameron Fruit invites everyone to attend. Admission is free.

Disabled Vet Member Drive Under Way

"The big push" is on for membership in the Disabled American Veterans organization since June 30 is the end of our fiscal year.

Melvin J. Maas, has set a goal of 200,000 Members for this year.

We would certainly like to reach this goal and with the cooperation of each and every eligible prospect, this goal can be easily attained.

The DAV seeks new members not just for the sake of reaching a specified figure, but because an increase in the number of disabled veterans working together for the welfare of all disabled veterans will mean an increase in accomplishments for those handicapped in the war-time service of this country.

We will never be the largest veterans organization because our membership is limited to those disabled in wartime service. But we are dedicated to a single purpose - the betterment of conditions of all war-handicapped veterans and our strength of purpose is as great as any organization one can name.

Only by increased membership can we translate that strength of purpose into increased service to our fellow-disabled.

Less seriously disabled veterans owe it to themselves and their families to join the DAV, and protect the rights and privileges

ed with a social. They received beautiful gifts. Cookies and cold drinks were served.

The revival begins at the Baptist Church Friday night July 6.

Mrs. Roy Gielen of Houston and her mother, Mrs. Ray O'Neill of Cameron visited Mrs. Aleta Marek recently.

Spurlin Collins furnished some attraction in Burlington early Sunday morning by bringing a very high rattlesnake with nine rattles to exhibit. He found it at his tank eating frogs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Foshea attended the funeral of Mrs. George Pratt at Rice Cemetery near Cameron Saturday, June 30.

Some of the Burlington folks attended the Milam County Baptist workers Conference at Yarrington Baptist Church on Monday night, July 2.

Jimmie McCollum is home again from the hospital and doing nicely.

Rev. Vern Thompson preached Sunday morning and Sunday night. They had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Prescott and two sons Billie and J. T. Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Pawelka and daughter, Ann Marie of San Antonio were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. McCord and Flora Mae. Ann Marie will remain in Cameron for a two weeks vacation.

W. M. U. met Thursday with 13 present and the following visitors: Gerald Ann Foshea, Betty Sue Foshea, Barbara Vickers, Carolyn Vickers and Ann Davenport, after a business meeting the birthdays of Mrs. Gerald Foshea and Mrs. Wesley Davenport were celebrated.



Pilot Lt. William L. Woods Jr.

Milanoan, William L. Woods Jr. Pilots Banshee Interceptor

Navy Lt. William L. Woods, Jr., is a pilot of an F2M-3 Banshee, all weather interceptor and attack aircraft with Fighter Squadron 64, a unit of Carrier Air Group 2, temporarily based ashore at the Naval Air Station, Alameda, Calif.

His plane captain, James R. Ahlers, airman apprentice, USN of Worthington, Minn., checks his safety belt.

Lt. Woods is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Woods of Milano, Texas.

In addition to being a pilot, Lt. Woods serves administratively as Training Officer for the squadron.

Before entering the service in February 1944, he attended Rice Institute.

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On July 1 the Cards defeated the Temple Pearl Tigers 4 to 1.

Mrs. Frances Hundl Dies At Hospital Buried Saturday

Mrs. Francis Hundl died in a Cameron hospital Thursday morning, June 28.

She was born in Czechoslovakia May 18, 1872. She was 84 years of age and had lived in Cameron 33 years.

Services were held at 9:30 Saturday morning at St. Monica's Church with the Reverend George J. Duda officiating. Burial was in St. Monica's Cemetery.

Rosary was said at 7:30 Friday night at the Marek-Burns Funeral Home.

Surviving Mrs. Hundl are her husband, A. F. Hundl of Cameron four daughters, Mrs. Annine Vesly Shiner, Mrs. Millie Horlica of Houston and Mrs. Henrietta Polzar and Miss Lillie Hundl, both of Cameron; one sister, Mrs. Antonia Milerova of Czechoslovakia, 14 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

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For Representative 56th District Milam and Robertson Counties: (re-election)

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W. C. (Bill) BLACK

For District Judge
O. D. GRAHAM
(re-election)

For County Attorney
BOB NELSON
(re-election)
JACK PRESCOTT
EDGAR E. HOPPE

For Congressman 11th Texas District
W. R. (BOB) POAGE
(re-election)

For Sheriff
CARL C. BLACK

For Tax Assessor Collector
VALTER WHITE
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County Agent's Office Reports On 4H Activity

By Lester Byrd
Ass't. County Agent

Jeannette Richter, Genevieve Kostroun, Herman Mueck and Charles Hollas, all of Cameron, represented Milam County at the 4-H Club Electric Camp at Lake Trinidad, June 26-29. This camp is sponsored by the Texas Power and Light Co. The objectives of the camp were: 1. To develop effective 4-H leadership, character and citizenship. 2. To teach 4-H club members about electricity and to properly use and care for electrical equipment. 3. To teach club members and agents in making plans for presenting the information about electricity to others in their home counties.

Jeannette attended the Farm and Home Lighting Section and made a table lamp for her project. Genevieve attended the section on Use and Care of Small Electrical Appliances and made an Extension Cord for her project. Herman attended the Farm and Home Safety section and made a Utility Light for his project. Charles was in the Good Wiring Practices section and made an electric Brooder which can be used for brooding pigs or chickens.

All expenses were paid for by Texas Power and Light Company, except travel and the County Home Demonstration Council paid for the girls travel expenses. There were 128 4-H members from 52 counties present at the camp. The members not only learned a lot about electricity, but they also took part in a good recreational program. The Milam County 4-Hers were accompanied by the Ass't County Agent, Lester Byrd.

The County Agent and Ass't Agent visited some projects in the Rockdale Community, Friday June 22. Margaret Allen is feeding nine Capons that she plans to show at the Houston Fat Stock Show.

Johnny Sefcik has one of the county Sears gifts and is doing a good job developing it. He has a good shaded pasture and a cool place for her to exercise in. He is feeding a complete ration so he will be able to regulate her rate of growth and development before the Sears Show, September 15, in Waco.

Jay Parmelee is also doing a good job with his Angus calf. This is his first year to feed but he is showing lots of interest in the project. He plans to show the calf in Houston next Fall. The County Commissioners Court has purchased some new clippers that will be used on 4-H club demonstrations.

This week we received the results from our District Boar demonstration and Heavy Litter Contest. The prize money that each member wins is used to buy equipment for the demonstration. Henrietta Richter of Cameron,

won first place and a \$10 award with her Boar Demonstration. Milam County had 8 entries in the Heavy Litter Contest. There were 33 entries in all. Cash prizes were given to the top ten winners.

Jeannette Fuchs of Buckholts, won 4th place and \$15 cash prize. Henry Tomasek, Jr., from Add Hall, 8th place and \$9 cash prize.

Others placing but not winning prizes were: Judith Mueck, Cameron 16th; Alton Moraw, Cameron 21st; W. J. Cargill, Jr., Davilla, 23rd; Herman Mueck, Jr.; Cameron, 26th; Wayne Moraw, Cameron, 29th, and Robert Moraw, Cameron, 33rd.

Several counties have purchased replacement stock from swine breeders here in the county. All the animals sold for \$35 to \$50 a piece.

Jeannette Fuchs of Buckholts, sold a boar pig to Bosque county to use in their Sears Program. She also sold a bear pig to Mr. Collins of Kimbrell Milling Co.

Henry Richter of Cameron, sold 4 boar pigs that will be used in the Sears Program. He sold boars to McLennan county, Falls county, Limestone county, and Milam county. He also sold two gilts to the Glen Rose F. F. A. Chapter.

Mrs. James Simms of Elton West Virginia spent several days in Cameron with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Weems and other relatives and friends. While here she also attended the wedding of her niece, Jeanette Hicks in Houston, who was married to

Leroy Bowley, Nephew of Rev. H. M. Bowley of Cameron.

Two Banking Scholarships Awarded At Baylor U.

John Gilliam of Clifton and Bill Kelley of Pecos today were named the winners of a \$1000.00 a year Banking Scholarship at Baylor University according to Dr. A. S. Lang, Business School Dean and head of the Selection Committee. The scholarship, established in 1955 by The Citizens National Bank of Waco, provides for payment of all tuition, room and board for one year for a high school graduate chosen as the young man most likely to succeed in banking.

The scholarship is awarded annually but may at the option of the Selection Committee be continued for the full four year course. Recipients may also work part time at the bank at regular wages while studying at Baylor to supplement their scholarship and to gain experience.

BIRTHS

Cheryl Ann Hairston, 6 pounds 6 ounces, to Mr. and Mrs. Loye Lee Hairston on June 8 at St. Edwards.

Ricky Dean Sapp, 6 pounds 8 ounces, to Mr. and Mrs. Forrest W. Sapp on June 16 at St. Edwards.

Jane Frances Anderle, 5 pounds 9 ounces, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frank Anderle on June 24.

Thomas Glenn Foster, 6 pounds 15 ounces, to Mr. and Mrs. Ray-Mr. and Mrs. Jonah D. Wilson, mond L. Foster, June 18 at New-June 20 at St. Edwards Hospital.

Mary Ann Fino born June 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Marcelo Fino at 6 ounces to Mr. and Mrs. William Newton Hospital. Debra Kay Goolsby, 6 pounds 9 ounces to Mr. and Mrs. William T. Goolsby Jr. on June 26.

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Generally, cotton insect infestation is low over the entire county in Milam county. With the approaching dry, hot, weather, insects should not build up in numbers enough to justify late applications of poison.

Farmers are warned, however, to be on the lookout for boll weevils and boll worms. The cotton fields should be closely inspected two or three times each week until the crop is made.

Scattered fields showed a light boll worm infestation 10 days ago. These fields did not show any boll worm eggs, likely, due to the large number of beneficial insects present. We refer to the lady beetle, lace wing fly, wasp, spiders, assassin bugs, collars and scymnus bugs as beneficial insects. These same fields do not show any boll worm infestation at present. Early season poisoning timed to stop applications by June 10th is based on the above results.

We are unable to explain why boll weevil infestation has been so low up to now unless it was the result of the compulsory stalk destruction program started last fall to combat the pink boll worm. Only light boll weevil infestation has been found in scattered areas.

Report on Systemic Treated Cottonseed

Six demonstrations were planted this year by Milam county farmers to farm test the results of systemic treated cottonseed to control insects which attack the young cotton. This treatment refers to the new phosphorus compound called Thimet. This material is put on the outside of the planting seed by special machines

located this year, at Waco and Bryan.

As the seed sprouts and growth of the plant starts, this material is absorbed through the plant tissues and enters into the plant as it grows. So far, protection from insect injury lasts only four to six weeks. The cost this year was \$3.00 for treating enough seed to plant one acre.

The following farmers planted one acre each of mechanically delinted seed treated with Thimet: Gene Angell, Herman Hoelscher, Weldon Gilchrist and John A. Smith. Mr. Hoelscher and Gilchrist planted Lankart No. 57 seed but did not get enough cotton up for a stand. Mr. Angell and Smith planted D. P. & L. seed and got a fair stand. Mr. P. W. Davis and Charles Hensley planted a larger acreage of C. A. 119 seed which had been acid delinted and Thimet treated. They got a very good stand of cotton.

In all cases, the cotton was protected for 4 to 5 weeks. Moderate thrip and flea hopper infestation were noted following this protected period. We had to put on two applications of insecticides to control the thrip and flea hoppers immediately following this protected period.

At the end of six weeks growth, these demonstrations did not have as many squares per plant as did our regular cotton which had early insecticide applications.

In measuring the results from the standpoint of early insect control, these farmers are of the opinion that the cost of treating the seed at the rate of \$3.00 per acre is too expensive for the results obtained.

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Formula Given By Agent For Cotton Estimate

By J. D. Moore, County Agent

Measure off 7 yards in the row where cotton has an average stand. Count the number of bolls on stalks in the 7 yards of row. Multiply this number by 10. This will give the number of bolls in a row of cotton one acre long. For example: 210 bolls x 10 equals 2100 bolls in a row one acre long.

Measure off 70 yards across the field and count the actual number of rows in this distance to obtain the number of rows in a square acre. Multiply the number of bolls in a row one acre long by the number of rows in a square acre. This will give the number of bolls on one acre. For example: 2100 bolls in a row one acre long x the number of rows on one square acre equals 2100 x 70 equals 147,000 bolls per acre.

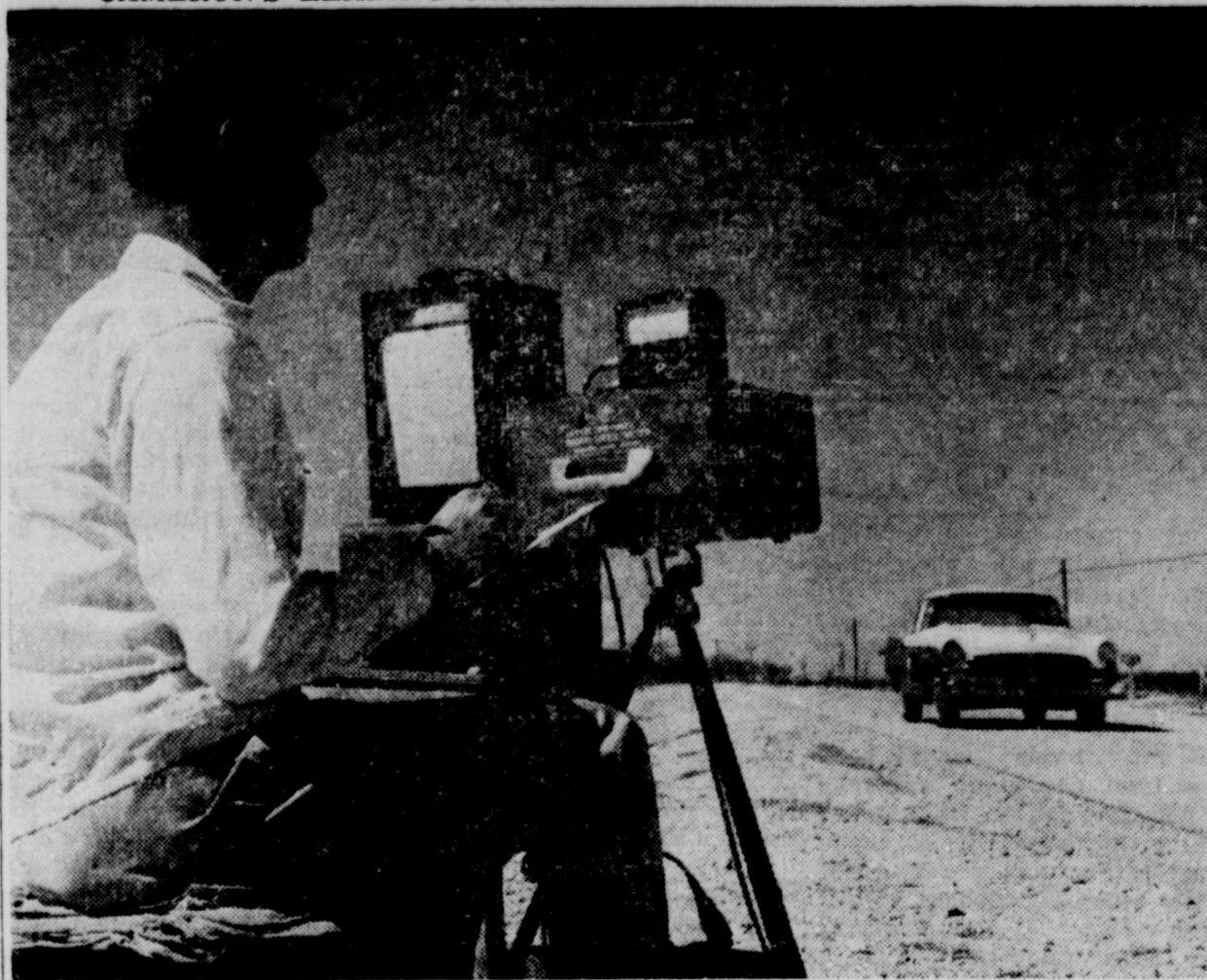
Divide the number of bolls per acre by the number of bolls required to weigh one pound. The result will give the number of pounds of seed cotton per acre. For example: 147,000 divided by 100 equals 1,470 lbs. of seed cotton per acre, at 100 bolls per pound.

147,000 divided by 80 equals 1,837 lbs of seed cotton per acre, at 80 bolls per pound.

To obtain pounds of lint per acre, multiply the pounds of seed cotton by gin turnout of the particular variety. For example: 36 percent gin turnout. 1,470 x 36 percent equals 529.2 lbs. of lint cotton per acre.

Note: The number of bolls per pound and lint percent varies depending on the variety. This information can be obtained from the tables in B-788, PERFORMANCE OF COTTON VARIETIES IN TEXAS. In order to get the estimate as accurate as possible, the bolls should be counted in 7 yards length of row in at least three different places in the field, and then take the average of the three counts.

VARIETY — AV. NO. BOLLS



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Rowden	68
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BRIGHT FUTURE FOR JUNE GRADUATES

This year's college graduate need not take off his cap and gown and timidly pound the sidewalks while job hunting, according to the editors of *Changing Times*, The Kiplinger Magazine.

There are plenty of jobs. For every engineering graduate there are an estimated 12 to 15 openings available; for every would-be teacher, eight to ten openings; for every business trainee, five to six openings; for every liberal arts graduate, three or four offers.

Starting pay is up \$20 to \$25 a

month over what it was last year, which was a record maker. Offers of \$500 a month and more are reported. Those are for men. Girls are lucky to get much over \$300 a month.

Engineers hold the lead as far as pay is concerned. One big mid-western university reports that neopete engineers are being offered \$347 to \$527 a month.

In the fields of business, sales and teaching, starting pay for business trainees is from \$325 to \$425 a month; teachers, \$285 to \$357 a month; government employees, \$306 to \$399 a month; accountants and salesmen, \$352.

Girl graduates will find it tougher although salaries beginning at over \$300 a month can be found in the sciences, statistics, libraries and editorial work.

Few college graduates will go into business for themselves right

away. They will get practical training first. Most will find the risks, the required capital and the hard work not worth the gamble.

Graduates are emerging into a world in which technological achievement will be fantastic, living standards very high and leisure time abundant. The wise ones will start planning now to make the most of what's in store for them.

Disabled American Veteran Auxiliary Explains Purpose

The Disabled American Veteran's Auxiliary, Sam Tyson Post in Cameron has the answers to a few of the questions which seem

to be in the minds of a number of people.

In regard to those eligible to join the D.A.V.A. the answer is 1. The wife, 2. Widow, 3. Mother 4. Sister 5. Grandmother 6. Granddaughter of any person who was wounded, gassed, injured or disabled in the line of duty while in the service of either the military or moral forces of the United States during the time of war.

All Gold Star mothers, widows, sisters, grandmothers and granddaughters are also eligible.

The D.A.V.A. is a NATIONAL ORGANIZATION and neither the state department nor local units thereof shall take part in any political or sectarian question or in any industrial dispute.

Those eligible should join because the boys and men have sacrificed for us and we need to be grateful and appreciative.

But what can we do? is often asked. We can render service to disabled veterans and their families. We may study Americanism, Child welfare, education helping our veterans in hospitals and many other things.

Finally the D.A.V.A. is described as different from others in that to be a member one must go in through the service and or the death of a loved one.

Anyone desiring to join the Disabled American Veteran's Auxiliary is urged to contact Mrs. Lelia M. Batte at the Sycamores in Cameron or call her at 87.

Famous Names Wield Swabs Aboard Randolph

Herbert Hoover, Ty Cobb, Henry Ford and "Rocky" Marciano have forsaken their civilian occupations for the lives of sailors aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Randolph.

In addition, Phil Harris, Wayne Morris, George Murphy and Robert Ryan are wielding swabs and standing watches aboard the Randolph instead of starring in

TP&L Names E.H. McElroy To Fill Watsons Place

E. H. McElroy, Jr., has been named manager of the Texas Power and Light Company's Area Development division of the Sales Department with headquarters in Dallas, it was announced today by W. W. Lynch, TP&L president. McElroy, a power consultant for the company, succeeds Assistant Vice President Bassett Watson who has been named general sales manager of the company.

McElroy has been with the Texas Power and Light Company since July, 1947, serving as an assistant engineer and power consultant trainee until 1950 when he made commercial manager of the company's Waco district.

During the construction of the Sandow power plant for the Aluminum Company of America's Rockdale Works, Mr. McElroy was the Texas Power and Light representative in the East, working with manufacturers of materials for the plant.

He returned to the Executive department in the Dallas office in October, 1953, remaining there until his appointment as an industrial consultant in the Area Department division in January of the present year.

motion pictures.

All of the people mentioned are sailors with names similar to those of the more famous and better paid civilian personalities.

Herbert C. Hoover, a gunner's mate third class civilian personalities.

Herbert C. Hoover, a gunner's mate third class from Pittston, Pa., will probably never become president, but he does a fine job in the ship's gunnery department.

Tyrus R. Cobb of Dallas, Tex., never achieved a batting average of .367, but he's happy as an airman aboard the Randolph.

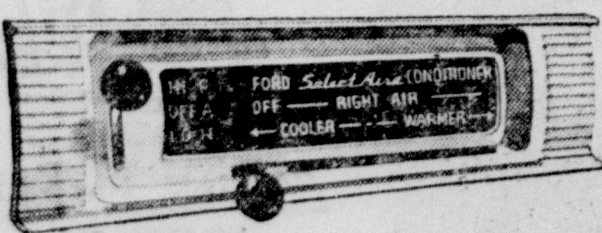


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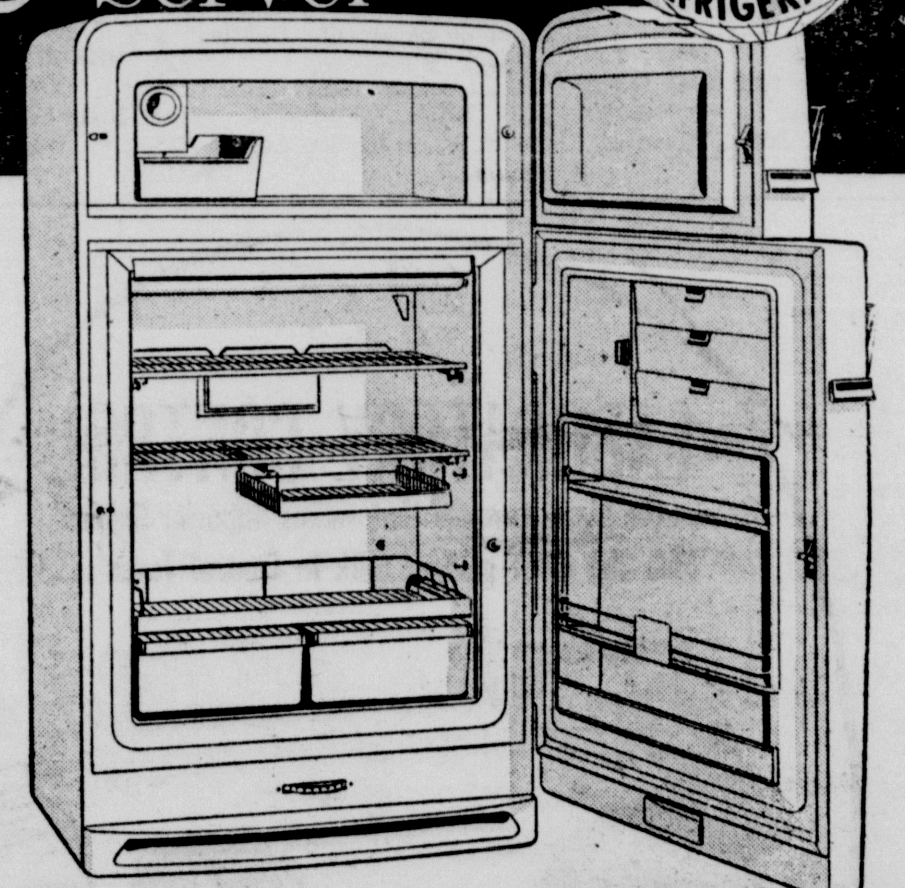
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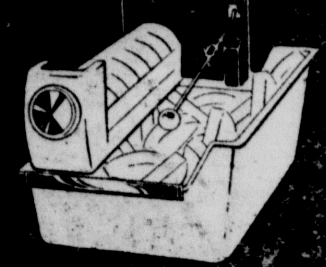
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DEEDS

Mrs. Nannie Whitley, \$2,300. S. L. Reveille et ux: All that certain Northern 1/2 tract conveyed to T. A. Roberson by Martha Overton. Walter Streicher et ux: \$10.00 and other valuable considerations. Castulo Trevino: All that certain lot no. 3 of block B of the Tucker Addition in Cameron.

Mrs. Ludelia Hornsby: \$200. Jack Hornsby: All that certain lot and parcel of land out of the H. Martin Grant in Milam.

H. H. Coffield: \$15,500. Lawrence F. Johnston et ux: All that certain Lot No. 1 of block 3 of the Coffield Addition.

Mrs. Annie E. McCasland and Mrs. Pearl Pruett: \$10.00 and Mrs. Geraldine Knight: All that certain lot and parcel of land out of the Daniel Alexander one-quarter league survey in Milam.

Mrs. Annie E. McCasland, R. H. McCasland and Austin Knight et ux: \$10.00 Mrs. Pearl Pruett: All that certain 42-22-one-hundred acres of land on the Daniel Alexander grant.

Hilton P. Culpepper: \$10.00 and other good and valuable considerations: Hilry H. Stedman Jr.: All that certain lot No. 41 in the Country Club Estates Subdivision in Cameron.

Helen Peel: \$50.00 Niley J. Smith: All that certain tract of land being a part of the Helen Peel 114 acre tract out of the Daniel F. Friar Survey of Cameron.

Clarence H. Weise et ux: \$6450. Howard Scheider: All that certain lot and parcel of land in Milam and out of the J. J. Liendo Survey.

Mary Washington, Doc Wash-

ington et ux, Margaret Washington, Betty Washington, Leonard Washington, and Aaron Washington: \$10.00 and other valuable considerations: J. C. Freeman: All that certain tract of 40 acres of land out of the Monroe Edwards Survey in Milam.

Jack Lewis and George Bredt: \$10.00 and other good and valuable considerations: Aluminum Co. of America: All that certain tract and parcel of land lying and being situated in James Reese League.

E. A. Camp: \$10.00 E. J. Burkes: All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land out of the D. Monroe Grant in Milam.

First National Bank in Cameron: \$10.00 and other valuable and sufficient considerations: E. J. Burkes: All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land out of the D. Monroe Grant in Milam.

MARRIAGES

Glenn Ellis Wise and Dorothy Nell White.

Joe Robert Klasek and Viola Rose Rabroker.

Jim Markham and Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Kirk.

Richard Huelan McCasland and Mrs. Dora Sielaff.

NEW CARS

BUICK
Q. W. Joiner, 4 Dr. Riv. Coupe. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin R. Majors, 4 Door.

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R. J. Hardy, 4 Dr.
Joe Robinson, 4 Dr.
Johnnie Vybral, Pickup.
Lee Garrett, Pickup.

ton Schwecke, Riesel, and Rev. Paul Kluge, Waco.

Rev. Cobb graduated from Washington and Jefferson College Washington, Pa., receiving his A B degree from that institution. He was graduated with a BD degree from the San Francisco Theological Seminary in San Anselmo, Calif., a Presbyterian (US A) Seminary. Rev. Cobb came from that denomination to the Evangelical and Reformed Church.

He served two parishes in the Pacific North West, one on the great plateau of central Oregon at Merrill, and the other, a fishing village near Portland-on-the-Sea, Depoe Bay. He served the Doak Balch Parish in Tennessee, this being one of the larger Parishes in the Presbyterian Church, until he was called to Miami, Fla., where he with his family worked and lived among transients in the trailer parks. He came to United Church, Ben Arnold from Lexington, North Carolina, where he served four years.

During the war Rev. Cobb served as a soldier for four years, nearly three years of this being spent in India, Burma, and China.

Rev. Cobb places flying high among the recreations found in this area. He holds a pilot's license and uses the facilities of the Cameron Municipal Airport. Many of his friends and members have enjoyed flying with him. He is perhaps the first among our Texas Synod ministers holding a license.

After the installation service, at 7:30 p.m., all will gather for fellowship and refreshments in the educational building. Everyone is invited.

G. L. Schroeders Of Sharp Visit Parks, Celebrate Birthdate and Anniversary
Early Sunday morning, June 24

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Schroeder of Sharp went with the B. A. Miller Family of Lexington on a sightseeing trip to the State Parks at Lockhart and Luling.

The Home for Crippled Children at the Hot Sulphur Well in the Luling Park was visited.

At noon the couple visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Wolle at New Braunfels. There they celebrated Mr. Wolle's birthday and the 25th. Wedding anniversary of the

Wolle's in Landa Park. Mr. Wolle is Mrs. Schroeder's Brother.

Miss Kathy Lou Mayes has returned to her home in Hearne, after visiting a few days in Cameron, with her aunt, Mrs. Neil Mayes. Mary Lou is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Mayes of Hearne.

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News From Buckholts

MRS. J. W. MEYER

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Raney have just returned from a vacation trip to Monterey. They were accompanied by their son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Raney of Baytown. They made tours of the city and high points of interest included a visit to the Capital and Horseshoe Waterfalls.

Weekend guests of the Raney's included their sons families, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Raney and children of Houston and the Buck Raney's who extended their visit, while on vacation, following the Mexico trip.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper Mitcham of Houston were visitors here Friday as guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Mitcham enroute from a trip in California.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ezzells guest is their daughter, Mrs. Ethel Starling of California who is also visiting other relatives in the area. Mrs. Mamie Carter of Bellaire was a guest of the Ezzells the past week.

Dennis Frazier is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Frazier, while on leave. Seaman Frazier has just returned from a tour in the East, spent in Japan and China. On July 8 he will return to his ship the USS Shangri La at San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Meyer and son, John Ritchie Meyer of Bryan spent the past weekend in Dallas as guests of her sister, Mrs. E. E. Robertson, Sr., Miss Smithie Ritchie and her brother's family, S. W. Ritchie. The occasion was a family get-together for a visit with Mrs. Robertsons' son, Major E. E. Robertson Jr. who was there while in transit from Montgomery Ala. where he

has been stationed the past year en-route to St. John's AFB in New foundland where he will be for the next three years.

After Major Robertson left Dallas by plane Monday his family, Mrs. Robertson, Larry and Jackie accompanied by Mrs. Robertson Sr. came to Buckholts where they have been guests until Friday of the Meyers.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Fischer of Roscoe, Texas spent Thursday and Friday here as guests of his brothers family, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fischer, his sister's family, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. A. Fuchs and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wall and daughters, Judy and Carolyn have returned from a visit to Marble Falls where they were guests of her mother, Mrs. T. B. Wall and other relatives and friends, the Rev. and Mrs. Horace Whiteside and new baby daughter, Dee Adele. The Walls had as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jurca and Carl of Temple, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Krenek of Cameron and the Jess Withers.

James Tate who was a patient under treatment at Kings Daughters Hospital the past week has returned home. He is reported to be improving.

Bernice and LaVelle Fischer's guest is their cousin, Phyllis Reece of Killeen who is spending her vacation here.

Judy Wall is a visitor in Marble Falls while on vacation visiting her grandmother, Mrs. T. B. Wall and other relatives and friends.

Glenda Weber was a visitor in Cameron the past week as a guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Krenek.

News From Yarrellton

MRS. LENA RUSSELL

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Adams was Tuesday afternoon guests with her father Uncle Ed McCall.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Russell visited Miss Katie Nisbett and Mrs. Auttiss Franklin in St. Edwards Hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Rowe of Gladewater spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Colburn.

Mrs. Susie Mathews visited Mrs. Add Miller Tuesday.

Zackie Griffin of Arlington and Miss Francis Childress of Temple were Sunday guests with his mother, Mrs. Ora Griffin and Marvin.

Church visitors Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Rowe of Gladewater, Haley Richerson of Rosebud, Zackie Griffin of Arlington, Miss Frances Childress of Temple.

A large group from Yarrellton were present at the confirmation Services at the Buckholts Czech-Moravian Church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burnett of Cameron were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Klappa.

Mrs. Frankie Hengatter of Houston visited her mother Mrs. John McDonald last week.

Sky Pilot, Rev. Gerald R. Cobb To Be Installed

The Rev. Gerald R. Cobb, pastor of United Evangelical and Reformed Church, Ben Arnold, for the past five months, will be installed in a special service at the church on Sunday, July 8, at 7:30 p.m.

The installation committee will be the Rev. John Mueller, president of Texas Synod, Rev. Robert Kalkbrenner, Cameron, Rev. Al-

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Margarine	Coldbrook	1 Lb. Ctn.	20¢
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Homo Milk	Lucerna		47¢
Whipping Cream	Lucerna	1/2 Pt.	28¢

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White Magic Bleach		1/2 Gal. Jug	28¢
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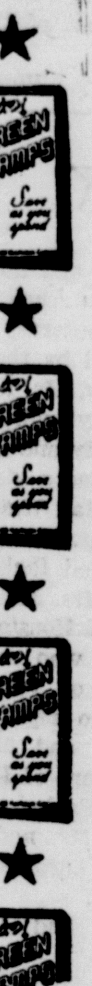
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Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship at 10:55. Evening o'clock. Youth Vespers at 7 p.m. Evening Service at 8:00 p.m. Women of the church meet on Monday. Prayer service at 7:30 p. m. on Wednesday.

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Morning prayer and worship 9:00 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. Women Auxiliary meet 2nd and 4th Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Vestry second Monday at 7:30 p. m.

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Sunday School at 10 a.m. Morning service at 11. Training Union at 7. Evening service 7:45. Mid-week prayer services at 7:30. W.M.U. and Brotherhood meets second and fourth Wednesday, following prayer service at the church.

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Rev. H. M. Bowley, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Worship services 11 a.m. Evening services at 7:45 p.m. Mid-week services Tuesday and Thursday at 7:45 p.m.

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Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship at 10:45. Young People at 6:30 p.m. Evening Worship at 7:15 p.m.

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Services on second and fourth Sundays. Sunday School at 10. Morning worship at 11. Evening worship at 7:30.

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Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Services at 11 a.m. Services each first and third Sunday of the month.

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Rev. Gerald Cobb
Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Services at 10:30 a.m.

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Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Morning worship service at 11. Training Union meets at 7:15, followed by evening worship service at 8:15 p.m. M. M. S. Wednesday night at 7:00 followed by prayer meeting at 8:00 p.m.

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Rev. J. W. West, pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m., J. D. Martin, Superintendent. Morning worship 11:00 a.m. Rev. J. M. West, Pastor. E. B. Yager, Choir director, Evening worship 6:30.

HOYTE BAPTIST CHURCH AT RICE
Harrison McLaren, Pastor
Services every Sunday. Sunday School at 10 a.m. Preaching service at 11 a.m.

BEN ARNOLD BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Raymond Bailey
Sunday School begins at 10 a.m. followed by morning worship at 11 a.m. BYPU is held at 7:30 p.m. followed by the evening service at 8 p.m.

BURLINGTON BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Louis Newman, pastor
Sunday School at 10 a.m. Morning worship at 11. BTU at 7:45, followed by evening worship. Prayer

GO TO CHURCH ON SUNDAY

National League Plays Two Hotly Contested Games

In the very popular Jr. Boys Softball league the fans witnessed two well played games Monday night, June 25 as the boys heaped into their second week of conference play.

The Dodgers managed by Bill Wallace jumped on one of the League leaders, the Cardinals, and defeated them by a score of 18 to 6.

The Dodgers started the fireworks in the very first inning as they scored 6 runs, added 3 in the second, 3 in the third and 6 more in the fourth. Craig Wallace was the catcher for the winners and Merlin Lester was the pitcher.

In the second game not quite as many scores were made but the keep competition was still there as the Pirates defeated the fast improving Phillies managed by Navy Chief Johnson.

The Pirates scored two in the first inning, two more in the second, five in the third and one in the fourth. The Phillies scored all their runs in the very first inning and then was white-washed the rest of the way.

The standing after two weeks of League play: PIRATES played 2 won 2 lost 0; CARDINALS played 2 won 1, lost 1; DODGERS played 2, won 1, lost 1; PHILLIES played 2, won 0, lost 2.

Air Force Recruit Sergeant To Be In Cameron Each Week

Master Sergeant J. B. Saffie, Air Force Recruiter, with offices at 102 N. Main, in Temple has made arrangements to hold regular office hours in the first floor lobby of the Milam County Courthouse from 9 to 12 every Wednesday.

Saffie's last assignment before going into recruiting duty was with the Strategic Air Command at Offutt AFB, Omaha, Nebraska. He was born and reared in Waco, Texas.

Unique to the Air Force the boy now can be given his preliminary tests in Cameron, Saffie said, and with a score of 21 he is sent to Dallas to take the Armed Forces Qualification Test. He can be assigned along with his buddy to go through basic training together the recruiter said.

DON'T GET GYPPED ON HOME IMPROVEMENT SERVICES

Homeowners have been victimized by fast-talking salesmen who sell shoddy or worthless improvement services at sky-high prices. Here is how to keep out of their clutches, say the editors of *Changing Times*, The Kiplinger Magazine.

Don't believe any claims or suggestions that the materials to be used or the workmanship is approved or backed by the government. There can be no such demonstration purposes or offers to give you a cash bonus or refusing your home for neighborhood bane for any business the work might generate. Watch out, too, for so-called trial-purchase offers.

Don't believe exaggerated claims or guarantees about any product or service.

Read and understand all papers. Don't sign documents with unfilled blanks. If a completion certificate is required in connection with the financing, sign it only after all work is finished in full compliance with your contract.

1957 CARS - BIG CHANGES
Get set for some real surprises in the 1957 cars. Bodies will be lower-slung and smaller wheels will give a smoother ride. More extravagant use of glass will downsize.

Be leery of propositions for mean thinner body posts. Car interiors will stress comfort and class and swivel seats will add luxury. Motors will be even more powerful with automatic transmissions standard equipment on even the lower-priced models. Gadgets will abound: hi-fidelity phonographs, pint-sized radios, electric locks that secure all doors built-in sanders for icy roads. Radical innovations, reserved for luxurious models, may include disc brakes, fuel-injection motors, and maybe air-cushion suspensions that eliminate springs.

Jehovah's Witness 3-Day Conference In Bryan June 29

The Jehovah's Witness ministerial training program will be discussed at a 3-day conference of Witnesses to be held at Bryan, in the American Legion Hall, June 29 - July 1.

Over 500 from the central Texas area are expected to attend the program. A bible discourse, "Consulting God on World Affairs," by R. E. Collier of New York City will be given at 3 p.m. Sunday, July 1.

In discussing the purpose of the convention, Fred Starnes the local presiding minister outlined it as being a semi-annual meet, held to give specific counsel and to further educate the witnesses in the ministerial activity. Emphasizing that the witnesses are a united people, devoted to the ministry and of sharing their beliefs with all others, Mr. Starnes stated that "the faith of each believing Christian is tested by this important activity". Starnes also said, "that at all of the weekly meetings of the congregation, training programs are conducted to acquaint the members with the techniques of the ministry, and also students are instructed in advanced studies in the Bible, and are carried through an extensive training in personal conduct and ability to meet and speak to people".

Starnes further said, the young student is assigned to a mature minister who assists him in developing his ability in the preaching work.

—CHANGING TIMES
Whether or not a black cat crossing your path is bad luck depends partly on whether you are a man or a mouse.

Cameron Welfare Worker Studies At U T Workshop

Miss Norma M. Wilson, of the Department of Public Welfare in Cameron is among thirty-seven practicing social workers and other interested persons who attended the third annual series of non-credit summer workshops at the University of Texas School of Social Work, June 18-29.

Topics were "The Social Components of Illness," "Improving Supervisory Skills in Public Assistance," "Case Work Services for the Older Client," "Working with the Adolescent," "The Community and the Older Citizen," "The Child with his Problems," and "Families with Problems of Marital Discord."

Faculty members included Miss Juanita Luck of Rutgers University School of Social Work, Miss Virginia Tanner of Western Reserve University School of Applied Sciences, and Misses Mary E. Burns and Anne Wilkens of the University of Texas Graduate School of Social Work.

52 Run Slugfest Features Monday Tex League Play

It was definitely not a pitchers League as the four teams in the Texas League Loop squared off Monday night. When the lights were turned off there were 52 runs posted in the scorebook.

The slugfest started in the first game when the Athletics scored a total of 16 runs to defeat the Cubs who managed to score only 5.

The Athletics started fast and

finished fast when they scored 7 runs in the first inning, five in the second and 4 in the third. The Cubs scored a lone run in the second inning and then their big inning was in the third when they picked up four runs.

In the night cap everybody scored as the Red Birds took the measure of the Giants by a large score of 17 to 14.

The losing Giants started with 12 runs in the very first inning while the Red Birds could manage to get only 4. Then in the second the Giants defense fell apart and the Red Birds chased across 10 runs to take a 14-12 lead at the end of the second inning.

The Red Birds scored one more in the third and two in the fourth to sew up the game.

League standing after two weeks of play: REDBIRDS, played 2, won 2, lost 0; GIANTS played 2, won 1 and lost 1; ATHLETICS played 2, won 1, lost 1; the CUBS played 2, won 0, lost 2.

Private Rose Completes Missiles Training At Ord

Pvt. James D. Rose, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rose, Route 2, Cameron, recently completed eight weeks of advanced individual training on the Army's Nike surface to air guided missile at Fort Bliss, Tex.

Rose entered the Army last December and completed basic training at Fort Ord, Calif. He is a 1954 graduate of O. J. Thomas High School. Rose was employed by the Acme Fence and Iron Company in Oklahoma City before entering the Army.

J. C. Nicholson and family, Bob and Mutt, were making their annual pilgrimage back to the old stomping grounds in Milam County

beginning at 8 a.m. Monday, for two weeks.

Nicholson is living at 7228 West Knoll in Houston and works as a machinist at Baash-Ross Tool Co. In Cameron he and his two dogs (his family) are visiting J. L. Foster at the Foster Nursery and he intends to spend his time looking up the old acquaintances. He took a two year subscription to the Herald.

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O. J. THOMAS — dent is sentenced to 12 years schooling before he can get a diploma." He further averred that "Any theory of pedagogy advanced in this country today will find adherents but the bald fact remains that some of the worthy theories advanced cost a lot of additional money to put into effect.

The board meets twice monthly and the next regular meeting will be on Thursday, July 12. The Thursday night meeting adjourned at 11 p.m. in contrast to the 1 and 2 a.m. adjournments at recent meetings.

CZECHOSLOVAKS cont.

The printing of the constitution and by laws of the pioneer of fraternal life insurance organization was the first Czech printed book in America.

The organizations president today is Frank J. Vodrazka who was vice president for 18 years before taking over the helm. James V. Krakora is Secretary and Frank J. Cizek, for 25 years Field Manager of the CSA. These men from the home office at 2138 South 61st, Court, Cicero, Illinois, were present for the ceremonies after having attended the Texas convention of the SPJST lodge in Temple last week. The latter organization grew out of the CSA it was stated and now for many years Texas has been left almost exclusively to SPJST.

The president outlined the activities of the CSA in a talk before the assembled members at the meeting. He said the society organized the first dramatic Czech Society in America. This was ac-

complished by members of the original unit of the CSA. Since that time the society has been active in promoting drama, choral, sporting and gymnastic activities.

Vodrazka boasted that his society waived premiums to service personnel during the war.

Officers of Cameron Lodge 460 are: Deputy Organizer, Zdenka Matula; President, Johnny Perence; Vice President, Norbert Mikulec; Recording Secretary, Flora Mae Pawelka; Financial Secretary, Felix Matula and Secretary, Hubert Marek Jr.

JR. FLORISTS

man, to be largest and most colorful of any since the first was held in Austin in 1919 under the direction of W. J. Baker, of Fort Worth, first president of the Association.

Arrangements will be made by flowers which will be used in the design schools and arrangements have been arriving in a steady stream from major American growers and from South America and Hawaii.

Glass, The Florist of Cameron will be well represented.

LIONS continued

the one-hundred percent attendance awards were made to the following: Dr. George Bowman, Ben Magness, Herbert Nance, Jack Slaughter, C. J. Sutter, Dean White and Richard Williams.

Louis McKee the new president told of committees he expects to have and of the projects which the Lions of Cameron will sponsor during his tenure which, this year, will include a Lions Club

Minstrel.

The new officers and directors were introduced by Jack Prescott as emcee and they were installed by the visiting dignitary, Douglas Bertling who is a member of the Heart Of Texas Lions Club in Waco.

The new officers to work with McKee as president are: First Vice President, Jack Prescott; Second Vice President, Jimmy Wiggs; Third Vice President, Ben Magness; Secretary-Treasurer, C. J. Sutter, Lion Tamer (duties are to instruct new members in Lionism) James Wade; Tail Twister, (duties to keep things lively at meetings) Homer Thompkins. Directors installed were F. D. Ripley, B. F. Crockett and Richard Williams.

HANES continued

not want the position. "I decided 10 years ago that I was not interested in the work of a Superintendent," and added that he loved the youngsters and the closer association with the teaching personnel than is afforded in the executive work of the Superintendency.

In his resignation Hanes pointed out that Cameron is home to his boy who graduated from Yoe High and it is home to Mrs. Hanes and myself. We are not selling our home here and there may come a day that we can come back home to Cameron and be among our friends. "We will be forever grateful to the people of Cameron for their kindnesses," the Superintendent said, and with an emotion choked moment he reiterated that he hated to leave his friends in Cameron.

Before leaving the board meeting Hanes advised the board that it should choose his successor immediately and that in lieu of that, he felt that Mr. Layfield would be eminently qualified and willing to serve as interim Superintendent until such time as one was chosen. This was verified by a board member when Layfield was interviewed. Layfield assured the board that he would serve if they would promise to search diligently for a successor with a "Layfield Laugh" which assured all that he sincerely did not want the job.

Wiley Loughmiller has taught in the Texas school system for 11 years and came to Cameron as principal of Ada Henderson elementary school five years ago. He was born and reared in Canton, Texas and taught school there, for two years in High school and four years in elementary classroom work. He is a graduate of the University of Texas, did work at Tex-

as Tech and then as the University of California at Berkeley. He was in the U. S. Marine Corps for more than five years during the second world war, coming out as a Captain.

Loughmiller lives at 1305 Nash avenue, is married and has four children, the youngest of which will start school this fall.

In the deliberation which consumed nearly two hours the application of J. R. Dick Young made the decision extremely difficult for the board members. One fact which seemed to predominate in the thinking of the board was that Young is such an excellent schoolroom teacher that, at this time, it could hardly afford to dispense with him as a teacher but at the same time recognizing the fact that he has taught for nineteen years and was for two years a principal at Thrall and seven years a principal in Cameron. Young, in his interview, told the board that he believes strongly in a follow up on the students who leave school and by finding out how they are doing in their college work can determine deficiencies which might exist in the Cameron schools.

Max Howard, in making the motion for acceptance of the resignation of Superintendent Hanes, said "I am moving acceptance of this resignation in the belief that it is best for you and Mrs. Hanes and for the school. I appreciate the way you have served since I have been on the board."

Other members of the board, without exception, wish Mr. and Mrs. Hanes the best of luck and showed their deep appreciation of the couple and their devotion to Cameron during their eleven years which saw its anniversary on Saturday, the day of Hanes' notification of election to the Irving School system. In Irving Hanes will replace PhD John L. Beard recently resigned.

Feeling that an idea is abroad in Cameron that he ran for the school board on an "Anti-Hanes" platform board member Don G. Humble emphasized that such was definitely not the truth and he added his voice to those who wished the superintendent well.

Hanes said in parting "I'll get up at midnight and drive to Cameron if I can ever by of service to my friends here." He frankly assured the board that after he learns of the needs of the Irving schools that if he needed more teachers that he would seek the best that he knew for the job and that he would naturally think of some of the fine teachers in the Cameron schools and would possibly give them a chance to accept or reject the openings.

Loughmiller was given a two year contract.

Board member Dr. David Shapiro, on being advised of the application of Loughmiller sent his vote by telegraph for Loughmiller.

A political party is one thing that can fly better without two wings. —CHANGING TIMES

Linda Jane Miller Sent To Lion's Club Kerrville Camp

Linda Jane Miller, 11, who lives at 703 E. Tenth St. in Cameron will leave July 1 for two weeks of fun at the Texas Lions Camp for Crippled Children near Kerrville.

Linda will be sponsored at the Camp by the Cameron Lion's Club and will be one of 120 handicapped children enjoying the facilities of the unique camp.

The Camp is free to any handicapped child in Texas from 7 through 16. Applications are handled only through Local Lions Clubs.

With 13 permanent buildings and a staff of 97, the Camp will provide recreation for 720 youngsters during its six two-week sessions this summer. The camp is located three miles south of Kerrville on 504 acres of rolling Hill Country land.

White Sox Upset Favored Yankees In Little League

The favored Yankees of the Little League was rudely upset Friday night by the polished White Sox by a score of 14 to 4.

The Yankees trouble started



FIFTY YEARS OF WEDDED BLISS: Show here are Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hause admiring a Fiftieth Anniversary Cake. At open house held Wednesday June 20. 260 guests registered.

Members of the houseparty were nieces, great-nieces and cousins. In the receiving line was Mr. and Mrs. Durward Hause of Austin.

when their ace pitcher, Carol Fikes didn't get to the game on time. R. Wohleb started for the Yanks but couldn't get the Sox out as they counted one run in the first inning, seven in the second, four in the third and two more in the 5th. The Yankees big inning was in the second when they picked up three runs and then added their other tally in the fourth.

Patterson the Sox's Ace pitcher was tight in the clutch and Steve Malone was in good form for the Sox as the catcher.

In the nightcap the Indians and the Braves fought to a bitter 4-4 draw. The game will go in the record book as half game won and half game lost. In case of a tie in League standing the two teams will play it off.

Going into the bottom half of the 5th. inning the Braves were trailing by a score of 4-2. They rallied for two runs to tie the score of 4-2. They rallied for two

runs to tie the score and the potential winning run was thrown out at home plate.

The Standijg: Yanks, played 2, won 1½, lost ½, tied 1; WHITE SOX played 2, won 1, lost 1, tied 0; BRAVES played 2, won 1, lost 1, tied 0; INDIANS played 2, won ½, lost 1½, tied 0.

Reunion Hosted By Albert Horstmanns In Cameron Home

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Horstmann and daughters Marye and Lois of 906 Lamar Street were host recently for a re-union for descendants of the late Albert and Elise Horstmann, pioneer residents of Milam County.

The dining table arrangement of lavender mums was sent by Martha Jane Busby of San Antonio

io in memory of her father the late E. Horstmann of Buckholts.

The luncheon was served buffet style to the following: Mrs. Elise Hampel; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hampel Jr. and Linda; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lippe, and David; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lina and Albert Hampel all of McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Horstmann, Morris, Carolyn and Sue of Dallas; Mrs. Estelle Horstmann, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Brady, Michial and Janie of Buckholts; Mr. T. E. Helmcamp and daughters Paula and Roberta of Tulsa, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bauch and Karl of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rayburn, Ross and Ralph of Carrizo Springs; Mrs. Margaret Kruggar of New Braunfels; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Helmcamp Sr.; August Horstmann and Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Horstmann of Cameron and one guest, Mrs. Leley Moore of Rogers.

Mrs. J. P. Wise Visits Two Weeks In New York, Jersey

Mrs. J. P. Wise, of Maysfield, has just returned from a two weeks visit with her children, Mrs. R. K. Reider and family in New York and Dr. Bob Wise and family in Philadelphia.

She visited the Statue of Liberty, the United Nations Building, Times Square and many beautiful churches. On a drive up the Hudson river to Hyde Park she toured the Roosevelt and Vanderbilt mansions and thence to est Point.

In Philadelphia at Independence Square the Liberty Bell and Betsy Ross Home were viewed.

Mrs. Wise found that it can get hot in New York.

Mrs. Herman Schulz has reported that the condition of her mother, Mrs. Hickerson of Rosebud much improved.

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9 Constitutional Changes on Ballot

Austin Bureau
Austin—Texas voters will pass on nine proposed amendments to the state constitution in November.

Eight of the amendments proposed by the 54th Legislature will be submitted at the general election Nov. 6.

Because of a \$250,000 error—the estimated cost of holding a special election—the ninth will be voted on Nov. 13.

This latter amendment authorizes the Legislature to provide for state assistance to needy individuals between the ages of 18 and 65 who are totally disabled by reason of a mental or physical handicap, or both.

H.J.R. 30

House joint resolution No. 30, submitting the amendment, fixed the election date on the second Tuesday in November, 1956, instead of the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, the general election date.

Similar mistakes in submission dates have happened twice before—in 1946, when the original veterans land amendment was adopted, and in 1898.

The other amendments, to be voted on Nov. 6, in the order of their appearance on the general election ballot, are:

H.J.R. 31

Empowering the Legislature to grant aid and compensation to persons who have paid fines or served prison sentences under the laws of this state for offenses of which they were not guilty.

H.J.R. 23

Authorizing the commissioners court in each county to levy whatever tax rates may be necessary for general fund, permanent improvement fund, road and bridge fund and jury fund so long as the total levy does not exceed 80 cents on the \$100 valuation, and provided the court does not impair any outstanding bonds or other obligations.

Purpose of the change is to provide greater flexibility in the administration of county finances than is possible under the existing constitutional allocation of funds.

H.J.R. 15

This one revises the method of financing construction and equipment of buildings and other permanent improvements at state institutions of higher learning.

It brings Lamar College of Technology and Texas Southern University into the present 5-cent ad valorem tax

program for college buildings; removes Texas Western College (University of Texas branch) and Tarleton State College, Arlington State College and Prairie View A. and M. College (all belonging to the A. and M. system) from the 5-cent program and provides for financing their buildings out of the university permanent fund income.

The amendment also broadens the investment base for the permanent university fund, permitting investment of not more than 50 per cent in corporate stocks and bonds and first lien real estate mortgages secured by the United States government.

S.J.R. 5

This one empowers the legislature to revise the teachers retirement system and to broaden the benefits to employees of public schools, colleges and universities supported wholly or partly by the state.

S.J.R. 2

It changes the membership of the Veterans Land Board and authorizes another \$100,000,000 revenue bond issue for veterans farm loans.

The proposed board would consist of the state land commissioner and two citizens appointed by the governor and confirmed by the Senate, those appointees taking the place of the governor and attorney general, who now serve ex officio.

H.J.R. 46

It changes the forms of the oaths of office for elective and appointive officers of the state, the main purpose being to eliminate awkward and inaccurate wording in the oath now administered to appointive officers.

H.J.R. 11

It requires medical testimony for commitment of persons of unsound mind and authorizes the legislature to provide for waiver of the right of trial by jury by a person alleged to be of unsound mind.

Trial in lunacy cases must now be by jury, except for temporary commitments to mental hospitals, and psychiatrists say this is humiliating and often detrimental to the patient.

H.J.R. 14

It provides that a court, judge or magistrate may deny bail to a person who has been convicted of two previous felonies. This amendment is intended to keep habitual criminals from committing other crimes or skipping bail while they are awaiting trial.

Presidential Votes by States

1912 Through 1952

Electoral votes by states in 1956		'12	'16	'20	'24	'28	'32	'36	'40	'44	'48	'52
11	Alabama	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	SR	D
4	Arizona	D	D	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
8	Arkansas	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
32	California	*	D	R	R	R	D	D	R	D	D	R
6	Colorado	D	D	R	R	R	D	D	R	R	D	R
8	Connecticut	D	R	R	R	R	R	D	D	D	R	R
3	Delaware	D	R	R	R	R	R	D	D	D	R	R
10	Florida	D	D	D	D	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
12	Georgia	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
4	Idaho	D	D	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
27	Illinois	D	R	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
13	Indiana	D	R	R	R	R	D	D	R	R	R	R
10	Iowa	D	R	R	R	R	D	D	R	R	D	R
8	Kansas	D	D	R	R	R	D	D	R	R	R	R
10	Kentucky	D	D	D	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	D
10	Louisiana	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	SR	D
5	Maine	D	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
9	Maryland	D	D	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	R	R
16	Massachusetts	D	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	D	R
20	Michigan	PR	R	R	R	R	D	D	R	D	R	R
11	Minnesota	PR	R	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
8	Mississippi	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	SR	D
13	Missouri	D	D	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
4	Montana	D	D	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
6	Nebraska	D	D	R	R	R	D	D	R	R	R	R
3	Nevada	D	D	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
4	New Hampshire	D	D	R	R	R	R	D	D	D	R	R
16	New Jersey	D	R	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	R	R
4	New Mexico	D	D	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
45	New York	D	R	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	R	R
14	North Carolina	D	D	D	D	R	D	D	D	D	D	D
4	North Dakota	D	D	R	R	R	D	D	R	R	R	R
25	Ohio	D	D	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
8	Oklahoma	D	D	R	D	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
6	Oregon	D	R	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	R	R
32	Pennsylvania	PR	R	R	R	R	R	D	D	D	R	R
4	Rhode Island	D	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	D	R
8	South Carolina	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	SR	D
4	South Dakota	PR	R	R	R	R	D	D	R	R	R	R
11	Tennessee	D	D	R	D	R	D	D	D	D	**	R
24	Texas	D	D	D	D	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
4	Utah	R	D	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
3	Vermont	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
12	Virginia	D	D	D	D	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
9	Washington	PR	D	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	R
8	West Virginia	D	***	R	R	R	D	D	D	D	D	D
12	Wisconsin	D	R	R	PL	R	D	D	D	R	D	R
3	Wyoming	D	D	R	R	R	D	D	D	R	D	R
531	TOTAL	D-	D-	R-	R-	R-	D	D	D	D	D	R
		435	277	404	382	444	472	523	449	432	303	442
		PR-	R-	D-	D-	D-	R-	R-	R-	R-	R-	D-
		88	254	127	136	87	58	8	82	99	189	89
		R-			PL-						SR-	
		8			13						39	

Symbols:

D—Democrat

R—Republican

PR—Progressive (Roosevelt)

PL—Progressive (LaFollette)

SR—States Rights Democrats

*11 for R., 2 for D.

**11 for D., 1 for SR.

*** 7 for R., 1 for D.

State Secretary Is Seal Keeper

The official seal of the state of Texas is kept by the secretary of state and used by him officially under the direction of the governor.

LT. GOVERNOR SENATE BOSS

The state Senate is presided over by the lieutenant governor, the House by a speaker elected by his fellow representatives.

31 Members In Texas Senate

The Texas Senate consists of 31 members and cannot by law be increased above this number. Senate terms are for four years.

Candidate Can Get Majority, Still Lose



LEADERS OF G.O.P.

President Dwight D. Eisenhower, right, and Vice-President Richard Nixon are scheduled to be nominated for re-election without opposition, at the Republican national convention in San Francisco Aug. 20. Only some new development in the President's health situation could throw the race for the Republican nomination wide open.

Chronicle Washington Bureau
Washington—It is possible for a presidential candidate to get the majority of votes cast throughout the United States, and still be defeated.

This is because the President and the Vice-President are elected by the electoral college system rather than by a direct vote of the people.

One Vote, All Electors

For instance, if a candidate gets a one-vote plurality of the votes in New York State, he gets 100 per cent of that state's 45 electoral votes.

Conversely the candidate who polls just one less vote receives not a single New York electoral vote.

There are 531 electors, and so 266 electoral votes are enough to elect a president and vice-president.

The voter who is on the los-

ing side in his state actually does not get his vote counted toward the election of the nation's chief executive.

It is the electors who call the shots on who leads the destiny of this country every four years.

The founding fathers established the electoral college system at the Constitutional Convention in 1787. It was their thought that the states could select well-informed public men who could look the field over and elect a President and Vice-President.

Came Out Differently

But it has not worked out that way. For many years the electors have been mere figureheads casting their votes for the candidate who receives the majority of the popular vote in their respective states.

In 1797, just 10 years after the electoral college was set up, a move to reform the system was started. Hardly a session of Congress since that time has passed without one or more attempts being made to change the procedure of electing the President and Vice-President.

The latest of these proposed constitutional changes failed only a few months back. This constitutional amendment was introduced by Sen. Price Daniel of Texas who advocated abolishment of the electoral college altogether.

He proposed instead, that the president and vice-president be elected by a direct vote of the people.

The Texas senator withdrew his resolution when the Senate voted down another, but weaker, proposal to alter the electoral system.

Under the present system the emphasis in a presidential campaign usually is on eight

or 10 pivotal states where elections are won or lost.

The 1948 presidential election was an excellent case in point to illustrate how literally millions of American voters are disfranchised under the unit-rule system.

Governor Thomas Dewey of New York received in the 16 states which he carried a total of 8.6 million votes. These 16 states gave him a total of 189 electoral votes.

Not One Elector

But in the 32 states which Dewey failed to carry, he had a total of 13.3 million votes. This great mass of popular votes for Dewey gave him not one single electoral vote and, therefore, counted for naught.

They were of no more effect than if they had not been cast at all.

Equally significant is the fact that not only are the votes which are cast for a candidate failing to command a plurality in a given state "lost," they are taken away from him and credited to his opponent.

Nearly a Winner

Statisticians have shown that a shift of only 29,500 votes in three pivotal states in 1948 would have thrown the election to Dewey despite the fact Truman commanded a 2,000,000 popular vote over the New York Governor.

This would have come about by a shift of 17,000 votes in Illinois, 3500 votes in Ohio, and 9000 votes in California, throwing all 78 electoral votes from Truman to Dewey.

As Sen. Daniel put it, "without a doubt, the electoral college method of electing the President is the most archaic and undemocratic feature of the United States Constitution."

DELEGATE SETUP CHANGED

South's Strength Hiked At G.O.P. Convention

BY JACK K. RUSSELL
Chronicle Washington Bureau

Washington — Although both the Democratic and Republican national committees voted this year to allow a record number of delegates to their national conventions, one of the most interesting facets of the decision has been the vastly increased delegate strength of the so-called "Solid South" at the G.O.P. convention.

Because of the peculiar method used by the Republican party to apportion delegates to the states and partly due to President Eisenhower's large vote in the South in 1952, the 12 states of the "Solid South" account for 90 of the 117 convention delegates added to the rolls this year by the G.O.P. at its San Francisco session Aug. 20.

Percentage Gains

As a result, instead of having 17.3 per cent of the total delegate strength as in 1952, the 12 Southern states will account for 22.1 per cent of the vote at this year's convention.

Only four states outside the South will pick up votes—Missouri, Montana, Oklahoma, and Rhode Island—while the usually solid Republican states will have only the same strength as in 1952.

Of course, the increased weight of the Southern vote is not expected to make much difference at the convention unless Eisenhower should take himself out of the presidential race.

May Be Vital by 1960

However, at the 1960 convention the increased delegate strength could become

the balance of power—provided the states can increase their representation.

Under present rules, they cannot lose representation, regardless of the outcome of the 1956 or 1958 elections.

To understand this apparent "concession" to the long-dormant Republican party in the Southern states, one must look at the G.O.P. rules for apportionment of delegates.

To begin with, every state gets at least four delegates-at-large or votes. They also get two votes for each representative-at-large representing the state in Congress.

More Votes Possible

In addition, if the state went Republican for President in 1952 or if it elected a Republican senator or governor, it gets six more votes.

Added to that — and this provision accounts for the bulk of the old as well as the new delegates—the state gets one vote for each congressional district in which at least 2000 votes were cast for a Republican President in 1952 or a Republican congressman in 1954.

The party adds a bonus of one more vote for every district in which 10,000 Republican votes were cast for President or congressman.

How Texas Gained

To analyze the rules, for instance, here's how the delegate strength of the Texas delegation was increased from 38 in 1952 to 54 for the coming convention:

Texas gets four votes to start, plus two for its representative-at-large in Congress.

It gets a bonus of six votes for giving Eisenhower the state's electoral vote in 1952.

It gets two votes for the two congressional districts that cast more than 2000 G.O.P. votes in 1954 (the first and the 14th) and six more for the three districts (fifth, eighth and 18th) in which more than 10,000 G.O.P. votes were cast in 1954.

The remaining 34 votes come from congressional districts which cast more than 2000 votes for Eisenhower in 1952 (one vote each) or those which cast more than 10,000 Eisenhower votes (two votes each).

Because of this complicated formula, several other Southern states made huge gains in delegate strength, although none as much as Texas.

Mississippi jumped from five to 15, South Carolina from six to 16, Tennessee from 20 to 28, Florida from 18 to 26 and Alabama and Virginia from 14 to 21 and 23 to 30 respectively.

At the Democratic convention, on the other hand, "bonus" delegates are limited to four. The bonus was earned by each state casting its 1952 electoral vote for Adlai Stevenson or electing a Democratic governor or senator in 1954.

As a result, although 12 Southern states received the four-vote bonus, the increase in strength is not nearly as lopsided as at the Republican convention, nor does it alter substantially the percentage of total delegate strength controlled by the "solid South."

CANDIDATES TO BE NAMED

Constitution Party Meet Set Aug. 28

The state's youngest political party, the Constitution Party of Texas, is expected to nominate candidates for some state offices at its state convention Aug. 28.

The party had candidates entered two years ago but they played only a minor role in the state political scene.

The principles adopted by the party in February of this year announced the party stands for:

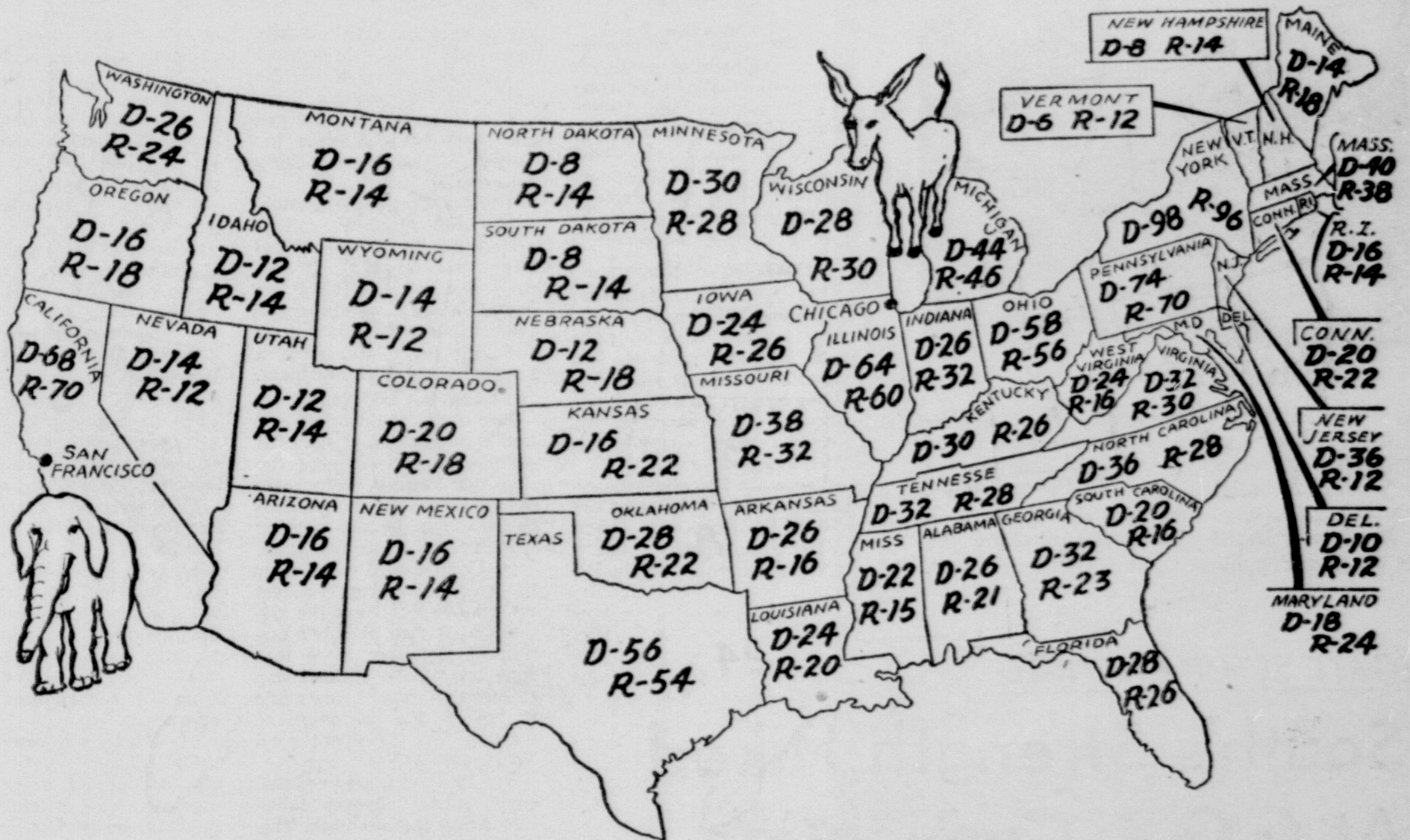
1. The Constitution of the United States and the Bill of Rights, correctly and justly interpreted.
2. Americanism and American justice.
3. States rights, exercised and retained.
4. Removal of government from business.
5. Individual state regulation of public education.
6. Protection of the legal rights of labor to a degree equal to the rights of all other groups of citizens.
7. Repeal of federal income tax law and the 16th amendment.

The state officers of the organization are Joseph M. Rummier, chairman; Dr. B. Edward Burgess, vice-chairman; J. Ed Friedrichs, secretary; Marvin Dace, treasurer, and R. Glen Florence, finance chairman. Fred T. Spangler is regional organizer.

At the most recent of the party's state conventions, in Houston May 22, delegates from 22 counties attended. Dr. Burgess of Houston was elected national committeeman and Mrs. George R. West of Odessa, national committeeman.

Delegates from Texas will be sent to the national convention Aug. 27-29, the site of which still is to be selected.

DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN 1956 CONVENTION VOTE BY STATES



The vote each state has in the Democratic (D) and the Republican (R) national conventions this year is shown by the figures in this map. For example, Texas has 56 votes in the Democratic conven-

tion; 54 in the Republican. The Democratic session starts in Chicago on Aug. 13; the Republican in San Francisco on Aug. 20. Texas ranks sixth in the number of votes at each of the conventions.

New Eisenhower-Stevenson Battle Expected by Washington Experts

BY BASCOM N. TIMMONS
Chief, Washington Bureau

Washington — The general expectation in Washington, shared by this correspondent, is that the 1956 presidential opponents will be the same as in 1952—Dwight D. Eisenhower, Republican, vs Adlai E. Stevenson, Democrat.

President Eisenhower is the certain nominee of his party, barring a new physical setback before Aug. 20, when the Republican national convention assembles at San Francisco.

Two to One

Former Gov. Stevenson of Illinois will lead his nearest rival, probably Sen. Estes Kefauver of Tennessee, by as much as 2-to-1 on the first ballot at Democratic national convention, which begins Aug. 13 at Chicago.

Stevenson probably will receive more than 300 votes, possibly 350, on the first ballot.

The effort of Democrats who classify themselves as liberals to stop him centers around Gov. W. Averell Harriman of New York, rather than Kefauver. Harriman's supporters expect he will pick

up a large part of the Kefauver vote on the second ballot.

Stevenson Ahead

As committed votes now stand, Stevenson has slightly in excess of 300, Kefauver 165 and Harriman 110½. There are 356 uncommitted votes, of which Stevenson should receive enough to send his total in excess of 450 on the second ballot.

His nomination, requiring 687, on the third ballot is regarded as a strong possibility.

The Harriman-Kefauver combination, if it takes place, will have several obvious weaknesses. It would not muster more than 300 votes at the outset. It would have no support from Southern states. And it would carry the greatest threat of a North-South party split.

No Stopping Seen

Since the Democratic convention will be presided over by House Speaker Sam Rayburn of Texas as permanent chairman, and will be largely under the influence of practical men, seeking a winning ticket, the prospect that any effective combination can stop Stevenson is not highly

regarded here.

He may not be a winning candidate, but his strength is well distributed over the nation, which no other candidate has been able to demonstrate.

Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas is regarded as the "key man" among the favorite sons who will be nominated (1) because he will have the largest number of delegates aside from the three leaders and (2) because he may have the support of many Southern delegates outside his own state.

Lausche Supported

After Johnson among the favorite sons comes Gov. Frank Lausche of Ohio, with 54½ votes. He will be minus a few votes in his own delegation, and will have a number of those from other states listed as uncommitted.

He will have other scattered support, for example Southern delegates and some from Illinois, the mountain west and New England.

Vice Presidential Races

But he is not now classed as a contender, though some of his supporters are expected to stick with him to the finish. The vice presidential con-

tests in the two-conventions should be as different as those for heads of tickets.

Little Doubt

Little doubt is felt here that Vice President Richard M. Nixon will be the unanimous Republican choice, partly because any attempt to supplant him would throw the convention into a dissension which might upset the careful plans of Republican chairman Leonard W. Hall and Rep. Joseph W. Martin, permanent convention chairman, to renominate Eisenhower-Nixon with a "fanfare of harmony, for the benefit of TV audiences.

The Democratic contest for vice-president may turn into a real battle, but the greater likelihood is that if the nomination is comparatively harmonious, the party leaders can agree upon their choice in advance.

Possible Choices

It must be recalled that in six of the last seven presidential elections, the Democratic party has gone to Congress for its vice presidential nominee and there is indication that the custom will be followed this year.

The possibilities so far men-

tioned are Sen. Kefauver, Sen. Hubert Humphrey of Minnesota and Sen. Stuart Symington of Missouri.

But there is a dark horse possibility, not yet generally discussed.

That is the party's greater wheel horse—Speaker Sam Rayburn of Texas. Though 70 years of age, he is apparently in better health than either of the leading candidates for president, Eisenhower and Stevenson, both of whom have undergone operations.

Parallel Garner Choice

His nomination would parallel the choice of Speaker John N. Garner in 1932, after a colorful career in the House.

The initial test over civil rights and desegregation will come, as it has in recent years in the convention's resolution committee and will probably have reached its climax by the time the first session convenes.

If a plank no more drastic than that of 1952 can be agreed on, designed to permit conflicting factions to support it, the 1956 Democratic convention should move on to the nomination of its candidate without much dissension.

181 Members Make Up House Body

The Texas Legislature consists of 31 members of the Senate and 150 members of the House of Representatives.

The number of senators is fixed by the Constitution. The House is limited to a maximum of 150 members and a minimum of 93 but has been at the maximum ever since the first apportionment following the adoption of the Constitution.

Senatorial Districts

State senatorial districts contain one or more whole counties but no county may have more than one senator, regardless of population.

The representatives come from 105 districts which were redistricted according to the 1950 census.

Representative districts run by county boundary lines, but a district covering a populous county may have more than one representative with each representative designated by a "place."

President Pro Tempore

The lieutenant governor presides over the Senate, which also elects a president pro tempore.

The House elects its speaker from its own membership. He serves for two years.

Both the lieutenant governor and the speaker exercise considerable control over the course of legislation.

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Constitution Doesn't Limit Solons' Number

The Constitution does not fix the number of United States representatives. This is left to the Congress.

The Constitution provides that an official census shall be taken every 10 years. After this count is completed, the Congress then fixes the total number of representatives.

In 1910 this number was set at 435 and has remained at that number ever since. After each census the population established by the census is divided by 435 to determine how many people one representative should represent.

As a result of the 1930 census, it was found that one representative should represent about 346,000 people.

Enacting Clause Of All Laws

The enacting clause of all laws of Texas created by the Legislature is: "Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas..."

MANY VITAL DECISIONS MADE

Washington—Nominations of presidential and vice-presidential candidates at the national conventions, important as they are, form just a part of the major determinations made at the sessions.

The nominations, especially where there is a contest, of course take the spotlight. But both the Republican and Democratic conventions will have other vital issues before them.

According to the Republican national committee, the national convention, Aug. 20, has a five-fold purpose: To nominate presidential and vice-presidential candidates, to elect a new G.O.P. national committee to serve from 1956 to 1960, to adopt a national platform, and to adopt rules for allotting delegates to the next national convention, as well as adopting rules for governing the national committee during the next four years.

The Democratic national convention, starting Aug. 13, although spelled out in much greater detail, seeks the same objectives.

Varied Chores

As a matter of fact, the great bulk of work at the national conventions does not even involve the nomination of national candidates.

The Democrats, with at least a full week in which to conduct business, have not scheduled nominating speeches until late in the third general session of the convention.

The Republicans, with a tight four-day schedule to meet, nevertheless, have not scheduled nomination of candidates until the third session.

Preceding the nomination speeches and hoopla are a series of grueling committee meetings, resolutions, votes and procedure questions.

Essentially, these pre-nominating sessions boil down to selecting a "constitution," a slate of officers, and a "code of conduct" which is designed to keep the respective national

party organization smoothly functioning between conventions.

Generally speaking, the first convention session is devoted to electing temporary officers for the convention, as recommended by the national committee; adoption of temporary rules and agenda; election of delegates to sit on important permanent committees, such as credentials, resolutions and platforms, rules and permanent organization, and memorial resolutions and miscellaneous speeches.

The second session concerns itself with the all-important nomination and election of state national committeemen and women. No member of the national committee of either party may be removed except at convention, and the faction which controls the state delegation invariably controls the selection of the national committee members.

Nominations, Report

The second session of either convention usually also includes nomination by the committee on permanent organization of permanent convention officers and their subsequent election, and other important committee reports setting the stage for nomination of candidates.

It's not until the third session or later that the platform recommendations are made by committee. After adoption of the platform, the roll is called by states for nomination of presidential candidates.

This is where the circus aspect becomes evident, complete with flowery speeches and prolonged and noisy demonstrations for favorite candidates.

From the fourth session on, the convention is generally confined to further nominations for president, roll call votes for nomination, and nomination and balloting for vice-president.

This is the part, naturally, which is of greatest interest to participants, television viewers, or rank and file party members.



AWAITS REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

The famous Cow Palace, huge auditorium in San Francisco, will be the scene of the Republican national convention starting Aug. 20. The place will be humming at that time, despite the fact it appears that the question of the party's presidential nominee has been long settled. How-

ever, activity there may be spurred by debate over party platform planks. The Texas delegation is due to start some fireworks in a fight to endorse the Bricker amendment, opposed by President Eisenhower. H. J. Porter of Houston heads the Texas G.O.P. delegation. (A.P. Photo)

DEMOCRATS OPTIMISTIC

Party Chiefs Concerned Over Control of Congress

BY EDWARD JAMIESON
Washington Bureau

Washington — The presidential election next November will attract most of the popular attention, but Republican and Democratic party leaders will be almost as much concerned over the outcome of the congressional elections.

Importance of the successful presidential candidate winning control of Congress has been emphasized more during the past decade than in all previous American history since the two-party system became a fixed part of American politics.

The present Congress, despite the overwhelming victory of President Eisenhower in 1952, is controlled by the Democratic party, even though the control in the Senate has been by a slim margin.

Truman, Too

Eisenhower's predecessor, Harry S. Truman, had to work with a Republican-controlled Congress during the final two years of his first term, but eventually used the charge of a "do-nothing" 80th Congress as the prime plank in his successful campaign for re-election in 1948.

On the basis of modern American political history, the party which wins the presidency should also win control of both the Senate and House of Representatives.

Never in this century has a winning presidential nominee failed to carry with him a Congress dominated by his own political party, although President Wilson lost the Congress in 1918, after five years in the White House, and President Hoover lost the House in 1930, after only two years as President.

There are some Democratic party leaders, however, who believe that this record will

be upset next November, even if President Eisenhower runs and is re-elected by a substantial margin.

Views on House

Insofar as the House of Representatives is concerned, they recognize that a major sweep by the Republican candidate would almost certainly restore control of that body to the Republican party.

The situation in the Senate is quite different. Because of unusual conditions in some of the states where the one third of the membership of the Senate must seek re-election, as well as the geographic location of others whose terms expire this year, it is

privately agreed by even the most partisan of Republican leaders that the Senate will remain under Democratic control during the next two years, despite a whopping victory by the Republican presidential candidate.

At least five Republican senators face bitter fights for re-election, and any one of them could be defeated despite a Republican victory in the national election. They are Sens. George Bender of Ohio, James Duff of Pennsylvania, Homer Capehart of Indiana, John Butler of Maryland, and Eugene Millikin of Colorado.

On the other hand, the Re-

publicans feel that they can defeat at least three of the sitting senators. They are Herbert Lehman of New York, Wayne Morse of Oregon and Warren Magnuson of Washington.

Senate Seat

Some Democratic leaders also list the seat held by Sen. Thomas Kuchel, (R., Cal.), as doubtful, but his recent showing in the primary indicated that he will be re-elected, even if the Democratic presidential candidate is successful. He piled up a heavy vote in Democratic as well as the Republican primary under the cross-filing permitted in that state.



NATIONAL DEMOCRATS TO MEET HERE

This International Amphitheater in Chicago, the scene of hectic activities four years ago when both the Republican and Democratic national conventions were held there, will stir to frantic life again Aug. 13 when the Democrats gather there

again to select their presidential candidate and conduct other major party business. This is a view of the east side of the building with Halstead St. in the foreground. The main auditorium, in the center, will seat 16,000. (A.P. Wirephoto)

New Faces To Be Few At Convention

Chronicle News Services

Washington — There not be many new faces the platforms when the Democratic and Republican national conventions convene August.

Both parties plan to have new keynote speakers, otherwise millions of viewers could almost believe they were seeing a reshoot of the 1952 national conventions.

Only definitely ascertain new key figure in the conventions is Gov. Arthur Langlie of Washington, who has been selected to keynote the Republican convention.

The Democrats still have not picked a keynoter to place the late Sen. Al Barkley of Kentucky, and not do so until shortly before the convention opens in Chicago, Aug. 13.

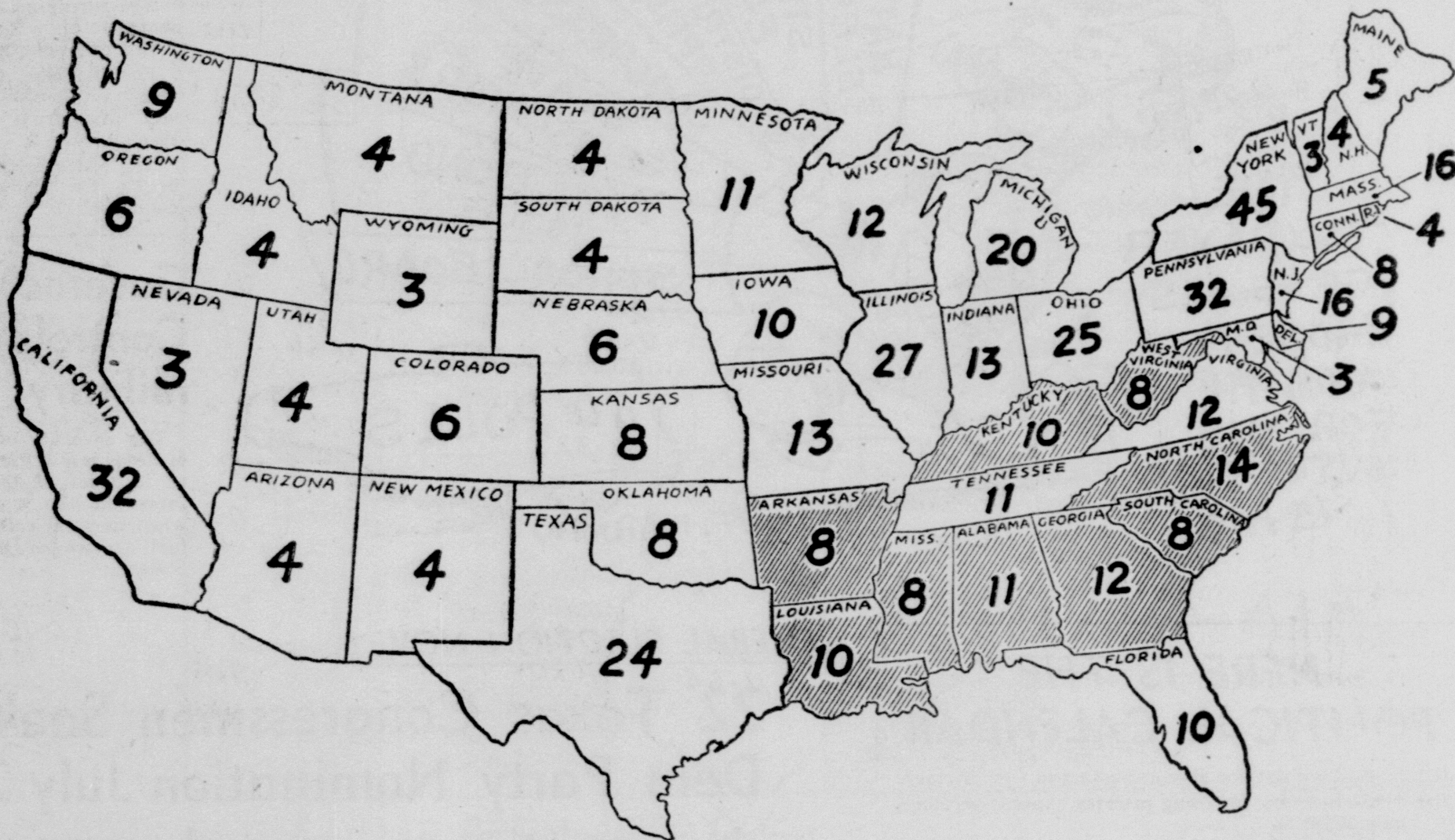
The permanent chairman of the two conventions, who wield tremendous power over the convention activities, will be the same as in 1952.

Presiding at the Democratic convention will be Speaker Sam R. Rayburn of Texas. The man who twice has interrupted Rayburn's tenure as speaker during the two Republican Congresses, former Speaker Joseph Martin of Massachusetts, will be permanent chairman of the Democratic convention.

Both parties also plan to feature their ex-presidents in their did four years ago.

Herbert Hoover is slated a prominent spot on the G.O.P. convention program and if past experience means anything, Harry S. Truman may steal the thunder from the official keynoter when he speaks at the Democratic meet.

1956 ELECTORAL VOTE AND 1952 PRESIDENTIAL RESULTS



The 1956 electoral votes, for President and vice-president, by states are shown by the figures on this map. The states shaded in the map voted in the Democratic column in 1952; those left white went

Republican at that time. Texas has the sixth largest electoral vote, as this map shows.

JOHNSON DUE TO PLAY BIG ROLE

Texans, With 56 Votes, Sixth at Dem Convention

Texas' delegation, with 56 votes, will be sixth in size at the Democratic national convention in Chicago starting Aug. 13.

The Texas delegation, chosen at the state convention in Dallas May 22, is pledged to support Sen. Lyndon Johnson, leader of the delegation, for the presidential nomination.

The delegates are composed of Johnson "moderates" and liberals, who united to gain control of the convention, and to choose the make-up of the group traveling to Chicago.

With the 56-vote Texas delegation behind him, Johnson is expected to play a major role at the convention.

The Democrat delegates and alternates, and the congressional districts they represent are:

District 1: Leighton Cornett, Paris; Rep. Wright Patman, Texarkana; Norman C. Russell, Texarkana; Grover Sellers, Sulphur Springs; Boyce Stevens, Dalingfield, delegates; Frazer Edmonds, Comby; Gil Glover, Texarkana; Ed Levee, Texarkana, alternates.

District 2: George F. Cook, Orange; L. L. Morrison, Beaumont; R. C. Musgrave, Sr., Lufkin; Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey, San Augustine; L. L. Roberts, Port Arthur, delegates; Tom Canady, Groves; Charlie M. Lee, Port Arthur; Chilton O'Brien, Beaumont, alternates.

District 3: Dr. Howard Bryant, Tyler; James S. Grisham, Ben Wheeler; George Hinson, Mineola; Aubrey E. Pilgrim, Pittsburg; A. Murat Willis, Jr., Longview, delegates; Joe Winkle, Pittsburg, alternate.

District 4: Charles Hughes, Sherman; William C. Parker, Greenville; Speaker Sam Rayburn, Washington; C.

Truett Smith, Wylie; D. M. Tunnell, Crandall, delegates; Roland Boyd, McKinney; F. Neilson Rogers, Sherman; Lee Simmons, Sherman, alternates.

District 5: W. O. Cooper, Dallas; Walter F. Gray, Dallas; Judge J. C. Looney, Edinburg; Gerald C. Mann, Dallas; Wright Matthews, Dallas; G. H. Simmons, Jr., Dallas, delegates; W. J. Durham, Dallas; Mrs. A. L. Frew, Dallas; Robert L. Clark, Dallas, alternates.

District 6: Clifton C. Carter, Bryan; Dr. Silas Grant, Whitney; Warwick H. Jenkins, Waxahatchie; Judge James Sewell, Corsicana; Rep. Olin Teague, Washington, delegates; Carl Cannon, Groesbeck; W. C. Weise, Jr., Calvert, alternates.

District 7: Judge J. W. Chandler, Jacksonville; W. B. Ethridge, Huntsville; J. R. Parton, Madisonville; R. H. Shelton, Nacogdoches, delegates; Judge Albert K. Daniel, Crockett; Earl Harris, Jr., Navasota; Wayne Justice, Athens, alternates.

District 8: James S. Abercrombie, Houston; Edgar L. Ball, Houston; Mrs. Albert Ball, Houston; Mrs. R. D. Randolph, Houston; J. Edwin Smith, Houston; Hobart Taylor, Houston, delegates; John E. Crossland, Houston; Warren Bellows, Jr., Houston; N. E. Cowart, Houston; Sam Low, Houston; Marlin Sandlin, Houston, alternates.

District 9: E. Martin Belcher, Dickinson; Guy Crouch, Alvin; Zac Lentz, Victoria; Wilson M. Rutherford, El Campo, delegates; Dr. John M. Moore, Jr., Brazoria; O. F. Nelson, Jr., Anahuac; Rep. Clark Thompson, Washington, alternates.

District 10: Sen. Lyndon Johnson; M. W. Kelley, Bastrop; Mrs. Jean Lee, Austin; Mayor Tom Miller, Austin; James P. Nash, Austin; E. H. Perry, Austin; Charles C. South, Austin, delegates; Mrs. Bess O. Beeman, Austin; H. A. Baker, Somerville; Thomas E. James, Austin; Robert K. McKinney, Johnson City; Max Starcke, Austin, alternates.

District 11: Tom Connally, Marlin; J. H. Kuitgen, Waco; Rep. Robert Foose, Washington; J. G. Sims, Valley Mills; Byron Skelton, Temple; Carlton Smith, Waco; Sam Wood, Gillespie, delegates; Albert Dickie, Gatesville, alternate.

District 12: Raymond E. Buck, Sr., Ft. Worth; Mrs. Jack Carter, Ft. Worth; E. L. McCommas, Hurst; Hunter McLean, Ft. Worth, delegates; Gean Turner, Cleburne; Tom Ward, Ft. Worth, alternates.

District 13: Alex Dickie, Jr., Denton; Rhea Howard, Wichita Falls; Rep. Frank Ikard, Washington; Carroll F. Sullivan, Gainesville, delegates; Bill

Bocher, Jacksboro; Mrs. Bailey Collins, Wichita Falls, alternates.

District 14: Ben Bock, New Braunfels; Mrs. R. Max Brooks, Austin; R. R. Bryant, Austin; Cecil E. Burney, Corpus Christi; Sam Fore, Jr., Floresville; Harry Holleman, Austin; Vann Kennedy, Corpus Christi; E. W. Patterson, Gonzales; Fred Schmidt, Austin; Rep. Homer Thornberry, Washington; Mrs. H. H. Weinert, Seguin, delegates; Judge Tom Brookshire, Kingsville; Merrill Connally, Floresville; Gus Garcia, Kingsville; Dr. Hector Garcia, Corpus Christi; John E. Lyle, Corpus Christi; Judge A. W. Mour-sund, Johnson City, delegates.

District 15: Lloyd Bentsen, Jr., Houston; T. P. Bowles, Big Wells; Rep. Joe M. Kilgore, Washington; Judge E. D. Salinas, Laredo, delegates; J. R. Duncan, Hondo; R. P. Guerra, McAllen; Dr. M. J. Rodriguez, Rio Grande City, alternates.

District 16: Ernest Guinn, El Paso; Fred Hervey, El Paso; Joe Pounds, Pecos; Helen Sue Riley, Crane, delegates; Woodrow Bean, El Paso; J. B. Luscombe, Jr., El Paso; Joe B. McNamara, Midland; Rep. J. R. Rutherford, Washington; Alex Bickley, Abilene; Rep. Omar Burleson, Washington, alternates.

District 17: Larry Blackman, Mineral Wells; J. E. Connally, Abilene; Dick Harbin, Dublin; Lee McCaleb, Anson, delegates; Mrs. Lynn Lee, Abilene; Mrs. Dallas Perkins, Abilene, alternates.

District 18: Charles Gibson, Amarillo; John Douglas Pittman, Hereford; Rep. George Mahon, Washington; Jay Taylor, Amarillo; Jimmy Thompson, Pampa; S. B. Whittenburg, Amarillo; Asa Willis, Dalhart, delegates; Joe Cowen, Dimmitt; Rep. Walter Rogers, Washington; J. S. Worley, Shamrock, alternates.

District 19: Ed J. Carpenter, Vincent; Claude Hearne, Seagraves; Frank Moore, Plainview; John B. Stapleton, Floydada, delegates; Byron Abernathy, Lubbock; Lloyd Croslin, Lubbock; Robert E. Dennis, Lubbock; Courtney Hunt, Haskell; Garvin Randolph, Lameda, alternates.

District 20: Elmo Burke, Jr., San Antonio; Rep. Paul Kilday, Washington; E. P. Lawrence, San Antonio; Mrs. Allison Perry, San Antonio; Adrian Spears, San Antonio; Mrs. Kathleen Voigt, San Antonio, delegates; Charles Alldress, Sr., San Antonio; Reese Harrison, San Antonio; James W. Knight, San Antonio; John Peace, San Antonio, alternates.

District 21: Dolph Briscoe, Jr., Eualde; Joe Foy, San Angelo; Arturo Gonzales, Del Rio; C. C. Woodson, Brownwood, delegates; W. G. Garrett, Jr., Kerrville; Mrs. J. D. Moss, Fredericksburg; H. M. Thomson, alternates.

TEXAS TO HAVE 54 G.O.P. DELEGATES

Texas Republicans will be represented by 54 delegates at the G.O.P. National Convention in San Francisco starting Aug. 20.

Jack Porter of Houston, the Republican national committeeman for the state and a delegate at large to the convention, will be the chairman of the Texas delegation.

Each delegate, or his alternate, will cast one vote at the convention.

The at-large delegates selected at the state convention in May are:

Jack Porter, Houston; Mrs. John R. Black, Dallas; John C. Adams, Harlingen; W. H. Francis, Jr., Houston; Frank T. O'Brien, Amarillo; Earl Hollandsworth, Longview; Rep. Bruce Alger, Dallas; W. P. Luse, Dallas; Lewis J. Moorman, San Antonio; Grover Hartt, Dallas; J. A. Gooch, Ft. Worth; and Richard C. Burns, Houston.

Congressional district delegates are:

First District—George G. Huffman, Harrison County, and Howard F. McWilliams, Cass County.

Second District—Temple Weber, Angelina County, and Randolph Reed, Jefferson County.

Third District—Kelley Smith, Smith County, and Mrs. Charles F. Bacheller, Groesbeck County.

Fourth District—Jack Martin, Grayson County, and H. M. Dyer, Hunt County.

Fifth District—Paul O'Rourke, Dallas County, and M. Sims Davidson, Dallas County.

Sixth District—Herman Hawker, Freestone County, and Mrs. Elizabeth Daugherty, Freestone County.

Seventh District—Joseph E. A. Ross, Anderson County, John H. Blaffer, Harris County.

Eighth District—Harry Linderman, Harris County, and Thad Hutcheson, Harris County.

Ninth District—Jeanne Overbaugh, Brazoria County, and W. M. Murphy, Jr., Victoria County.

Tenth District—D. D. Williamson, Travis County, and Dr. Earl Yeakel, Travis County.

Eleventh District—Charles Eidson, McLennan County, and Mrs. Goodhue Smith, McLennan County.

Twelfth District—Bayard H. Freidman, Tarrant County, and R. Shaffer, Tarrant County.

Thirteenth District—John G. Tower, Wichita County, and Mrs. W. H. Lobough, Young County.

Fourteenth District—Harvey Frye, Nueces County, and Neal Terrey, Jim Wells County.

Fifteenth District—Mrs. Paul Armstrong, Hidalgo County, and Frank M. Anderson, Cameron County.

Sixteenth District—John A. Grambling, El Paso County, and Ford Chapman, Reeves County.

Seventeenth District—Mrs. John Dumont, Taylor County, and Price Campbell, Taylor County.

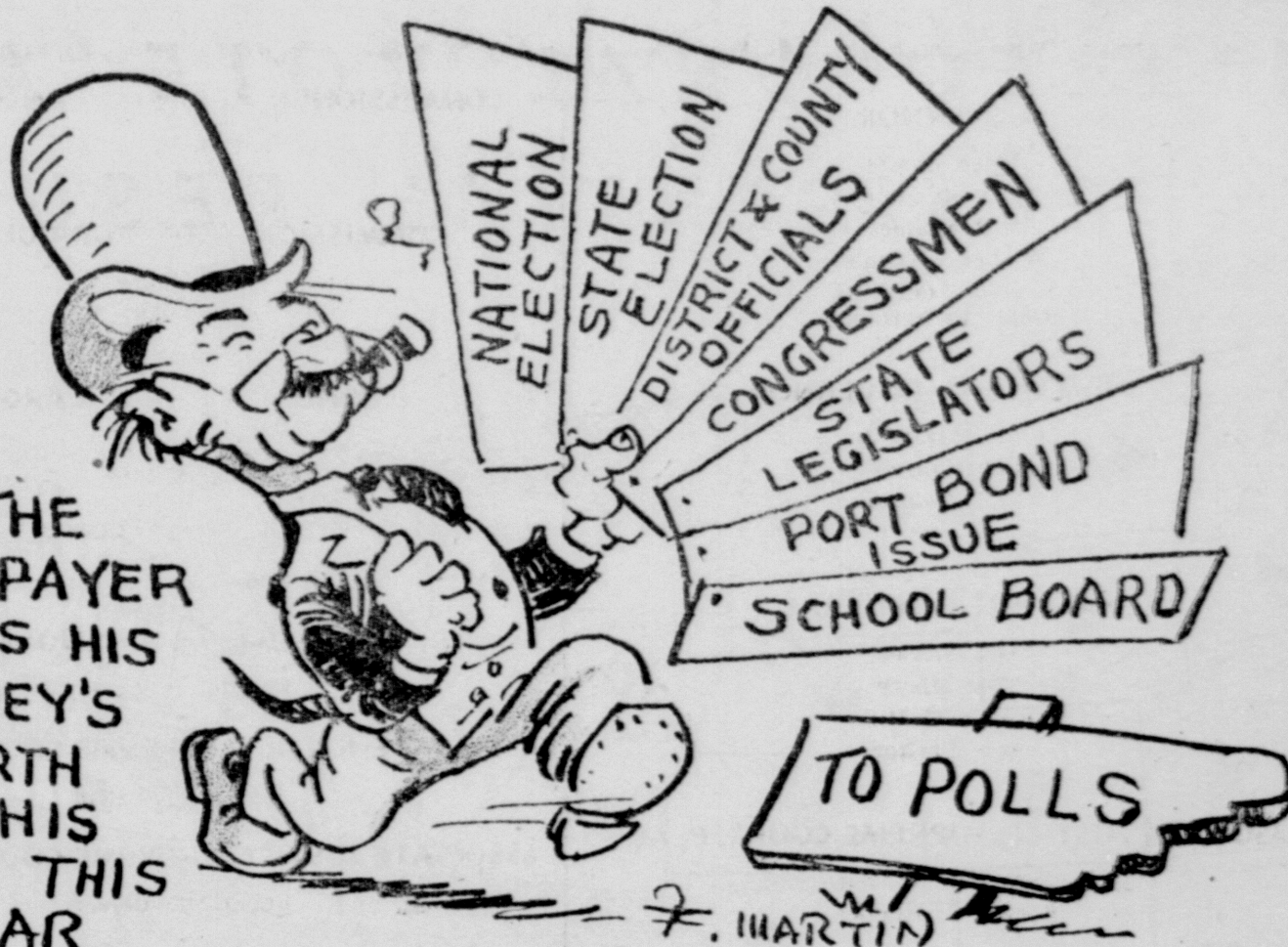
Eighteenth District—L. R. Miller, Gray County, and Mrs. C. M. McDaniel, Hutchinson County.

Nineteenth District—Mrs. L. H. Thomas, Crosby County, and Claude S. Cravens, Lubbock County.

Twentieth District—Joe S. Sheldon, Bexar County, and Mrs. Robert G. Maverick, Bexar County.

Twenty-first District—Adolf Steiler, Kerr County, and E. S. Mayer, Sutton County.

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ABSENTEES CAN VOTE JULY 8

Absentee voting for the first primary will start July 8, with the last day for such voting July 24.

The runoff primary's absentee voting will start Aug. 5 and end Aug. 21.

For the Nov. 6 general election, absentee voting will last from Oct. 17 through Nov. 2.

The absentee voting will be in the office of the county clerk.

Governor Controls Military

The governor of the state of Texas is also the commander in chief of the military forces of the state, except when they are called into actual service of the United States.

HERE IS THE POLITICAL CALENDAR

JULY 8—First day for absentee voting in first primary.
JULY 20—Last day for filing primary expense accounts by candidates.
JULY 21—Republican precinct conventions.
JULY 24—Last day to transfer poll tax receipts for first primary.
JULY 24—Last day for absentee voting in first primary.
JULY 25—Last day for those who have become eligible to vote after Jan. 1, by reason of age or residence, to get exemption certificates in order to vote in second primary.
JULY 28—First primary election.
JULY 28—Precinct conventions to elect delegates to county Democratic conventions.
JULY 31—Democratic county executive committee canvasses primary returns.
AUG. 4—County conventions of each party. Republicans to select candidates for county offices.
AUG. 5—First day for absentee voting for second primary.
AUG. 7—Last expense statement for first primary due.
AUG. 10—Deadline for filing primary election contest.
AUG. 13—Democratic national convention starts.
AUG. 13—State executive committee to canvass first primary returns for state offices.
AUG. 14—Republican district conventions.
AUG. 17—Last day for filing of second primary campaign expenses.
AUG. 20—Republican national convention starts.
AUG. 20—Last day to transfer poll tax receipt for second primary.
AUG. 21—Last day for absentee voting for runoff primary.
AUG. 25—Runoff primary.
AUG. 28—County executive committee canvasses runoff primary returns.
AUG. 28—Republican state convention to select candidates for state offices and to prepare platform.
SEPT. 4—Last day to file runoff primary expense accounts.
SEPT. 6—Deadline for filing runoff primary election contests.
SEPT. 11—Democratic state convention.
OCT. 6—Deadline for obtaining exemption certificates for general election.
OCT. 17—Absentee voting starts for general election.
OCT. 29—Last day for filing preliminary expense accounts by candidates in general election.
NOV. 1—Last day to transfer poll tax receipts for general election.
NOV. 2—Last day for absentee voting in general election.
NOV. 6—General election.
NOV. 12—Commissioners Court to canvass election returns.
NOV. 13—State election on one constitutional amendment.
NOV. 16—Last day for filing final campaign expense statement.

GENERAL ELECTION NOV. 6

22 Texas Congressmen Seek Dem Party Nomination July 28

Twenty-two congressmen from Texas will be elected at the general election Nov. 6, 21 from the various congressional districts and one "at-large."

All but two of the incumbents are up for renomination at the Democratic primary July 28.

One of the incumbents, Bruce Alger of Dallas, who is Texas' only Republican, will be renominated at the Republican district convention Aug. 14.

Rep. Brady Gentry of Tyler is not seeking renomination in District 3.

Twelve incumbents are unopposed.

District 8, Harris County, is the largest con-

gressional district in the nation and the county actually is entitled to at least two, instead of one, congressmen.

However, the state Legislature, instead of assigning the extra congressman allocated to Texas to Harris County set up the congressman-at-large position.

Consequently, voters in each district will vote for two congressmen in the Democratic primary and the general election.

One will be the district congressman and the other congressman-at-large.

Republican candidates, in district races which they decide to enter, will be named at district conventions on Aug. 14.

These Are the Democratic

- District 1: Wright Patman (incumbent), Texarkana, and Kenneth Simmons, Avenger.
- District 2: Jack B. Brooks (incumbent) Beaumont; Melvin Combs, judge of the 60th District Court, Beaumont; Hugh Wilson, Port Arthur refinery worker; Rev. M. T. Banks, Beaumont Negro.
- District 3: Former Rep. Lindley Beckworth, Gladewater; former State Rep. R. E. (Peppy) Blount, Tyler.
- District 4: Sam Rayburn (incumbent) Bonham; Wayne Hall, Sherman.
- District 5: Dallas County Dist. Atty. Henry Wade, unopposed for Democratic nomination; incumbent Bruce Alger, Republican, will be renominated by convention.
- District 6: Olin Teague, College Station (incumbent) unopposed.
- District 7: John Dowdy (incumbent), Athens; State Rep. Gilbert Spring, Apple Springs.
- District 8: Albert Thomas (incumbent), Houston, unopposed.

Congressional Candidates

- District 9: Clark W. Thompson (incumbent) Galveston; Jerome Korenek of Freyburg.
- District 10: Homer Thornberry (incumbent), Austin, unopposed.
- District 11: W. R. Poage (incumbent), Waco, unopposed.

- District 12: Jim Wright (incumbent), Weatherford, unopposed.
- District 13: Frank Ikard (incumbent), Wichita Falls, unopposed.
- District 14: John J. Bell (incumbent), Cuero; Nueces County Judge John Young, Corpus Christi.
- District 15: Joe Kilgore (incumbent), McAllen, unopposed.
- District 16: J. T. Rutherford (incumbent), Odessa; William W. Blanton, Odessa attorney and former Shackelford County judge.
- District 17: Omar Burleson (incumbent), Anson; Dan Kralis, Abilene oil consultant.
- District 18: Walter Rogers (incumbent), Pampa, unopposed.
- District 19: George H. Mahon (incumbent), Lubbock, unopposed.
- District 20: Paul J. Kilgay (incumbent), San Antonio, unopposed.
- District 21: O. C. Fisher (incumbent), San Angelo, unopposed.
- Congressman-at-Large: Martin Dies (incumbent); Bill Elkins, Dallas.

PARTIAL SLATE IS EXPECTED

The Harris County Constitution party expects to enter a partial slate of candidates in the general election Nov. 6 for several local offices.

It has had candidates in the last two races and expects to increase the number entered this year.

County chairman is Mrs. A. L. Cox, with Mrs. J. E. Friedrichs, secretary. General meetings are held monthly and a headquarters maintained at 112 Pecore.

The local organization has a program of holding precinct conventions in every precinct in the county in August.

Texas G.O.P. Will Ask 10 Resolutions on Platform

TEXAS REPUBLICANS will urge the G.O.P. national convention to include a group of 10 resolutions in the party's national platform.

The resolutions were adopted by the state convention and included among them are endorsements of the proposed Bricker amendment and a natural gas bill to prohibit federal control of prices at the wellhead.

ALSO approved was a resolution condemning and opposing federal aid to education.

Houston attorney Thad Hutcheson was the chairman of the state resolutions committee and is expected to be named a member of the national platform committee.

The platform committee will do its drafting work in the first few days of the convention. The planks it approves will be presented to the convention for ratification.

The resolutions which will be pushed by the Texans are:

State's Rights

WHEREAS, the Tenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States declares that the powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the states, are reserved to the states, respectively, or to the people; and

Whereas, particularly since 1932, there has been a regrettable trend in the direction of federal encroachment upon the rights of states and a relentless centralization of power in the federal government, and this trend if continued will destroy the Tenth Amendment and one of the basic principles which has made this union of states great; and

Whereas, the leadership of the Democratic party has abandoned the principle of states' rights and the Democrat party at all levels has proven itself either uninterested, or ineffective in the struggle for the preservation of this principle, and the Republican party now constitutes the only substantial political group which can be depended upon as an effective instrument to advance and preserve the cause of states' rights in our government:

NOW, therefore, be it resolved, that we declare our uncompromising determination that the Republican party of Texas shall remain aggressively true to the principle of states' rights, that we urge the national administration to appoint to advisory positions at policy-making levels men and women sympathetic to such views, and we instruct our delegates to the Republican national convention to use their best efforts to establish, as an integral part of the 1956 Republican platform, an acceptance of the principles of protecting states' rights against federal encroachment, against centralization of power in Washington and against federal bureaucracy in all its forms, to the end that the traditional concept of our constitutional form of government, as a partnership between the people and their states on one hand and the federal government on the other hand will be effectively recognized by all three departments of government.

Natural Gas Bill

RESOLVED, that this convention favors the earliest possible enactment of a natural gas bill which will eliminate regulation of natural gas prices at the wellhead by the federal government, recognizing that such regulation is an encroachment on state and individual rights, and further recognizing that the President has expressed the belief that there is need for legislation conforming to these objectives, and further that such legislation would be in accord with the standing Republican policy to abolish price controls, we urge the Republican national convention to recommend such remedial legislation in its platform or campaign objectives.

Federal Aid To Education

WHEREAS, we believe that federal financial aid to any school in the United States inevitably leads to undesirable federal control of schools and school systems, which are properly the subject matter for the control of the states and school districts;

Whereas, such financial aid often encourages states to reduce their own expenditures; and

Whereas, a substantial portion of our taxes are wasted in administrative costs in the process of passing from their sources through the federal grant-in-aid program, resulting in diminishing net returns to the public;

BE IT THEREFORE resolved, that this convention express itself in favor of local and state control of our school systems as opposed to federal control or supervision and therefore federal financial aid is hereby condemned and opposed.

Electoral College Reform

RESOLVED, that the electoral college system of electing the President of the United States no longer serves the purpose for which it was originally intended but in fact makes it possible for the will of the majority of our people to be thwarted, and encour-

ages a disproportionate regard in political parties for minority groups which provide the balance of power in certain heavily populated "key states," and that reform of the electoral college system by constitutional amendment, giving greater weight to the majority popular vote, should be instituted immediately by appropriate congressional resolution and action of the states.

Desegregation

WHEREAS, we recognize the problems created for all citizens by the decision of the United States Supreme Court declaring segregation in public schools and certain other public facilities unlawful, and we regret the unstatesmanlike animosities which have arisen and been expressed in the heat of emotion rather than the clear light of good reason:

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that we urge the people of our state and country to recognize and face this problem with objectiveness, clear thinking and good citizenship on all sides, and we reject the advocacy and intermeddling of outsiders and groups more interested in selfish objectives, their own prejudices or political expediency, than in the orderly disposition of the problems which have arisen; further

RESOLVED, that, in the absence of any legal and orderly change of the law by constitutional amendment or court decree, we urge that the gradual solution for desegregation in Texas be left to the people, the school boards and the courts within this state, pursuant to the decree of the United States Supreme Court, which is the law of the land.

Foreign Aid

WHEREAS, the delegates to this convention have grave misgivings and doubts about the desirability or effectiveness of tremendous sums which have been spent since World War II in the foreign aid program, and be-

lieve that while military aid must be extended within reasonable limits as a sound foreign policy requires, the direct donation of other economic aid is excessively burdensome to our taxpayers and substantially ineffective in arousing wholesome appreciation in the countries receiving the benefits, and has not come up to expectations in advancing the world-wide struggle of free enterprise system against communism or socialism:

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved, that this convention opposes further extensions in the amount and costs of economic aid to foreign countries without well-defined, long-range planning and a constant revaluation of objectives, and particularly opposes the granting and administering of foreign aid through the United Nations without adequate supervision by representatives of our government, and further recommends careful study of the possible desirability of extending future foreign aid by loans to private enterprise and businesses in foreign countries with a corresponding reduction in direct donation.

Bricker Amendment

RESOLVED, that this convention believes that provisions of a treaty or other international agreement which conflict with any provision of the Constitution should not be of any force or effect and, therefore, this convention favors the enactment of the proposed revised Bricker amendment as above summarized, or some substantial equivalent thereof.

Economy and Tax Cuts

WHEREAS, governmental expenditures and revenues usually go hand-in-hand, and tax reductions are likely to result only from decreased expenditures.

Resolved, that this convention favors the adoption and implementation of the findings and report of the Hoover Commission in the field of

economy and efficiency, and the elimination of unnecessary government personnel, government expenditures and government bureaus;

FURTHER resolved, that this convention favors an immediate study and review of the basic federal income tax structure, with the avowed purpose of greatly simplifying and reducing the rates, and eliminating the gross inequities in the present tax structure.

Agriculture

RESOLVED, that it is of vital importance to the welfare of the country that the farmer and rancher receive his fair share of the nation's wealth, and a system of rigid price supports for crops has proven to be unsuccessful in this regard and merely resulted in the accumulation of tremendous farm commodity surpluses which must be disposed of before the agricultural problem can be solved;

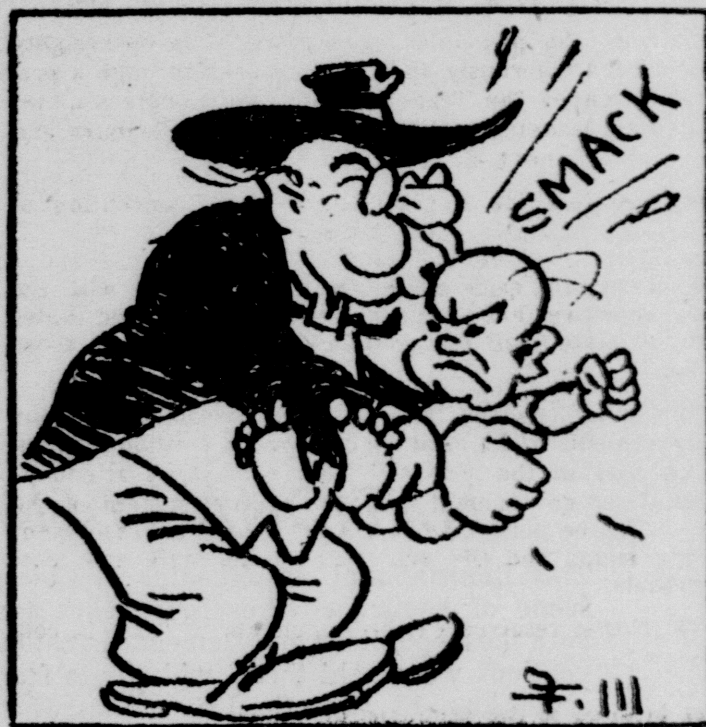
Further resolved, that we commend the efforts of Secretary of Agriculture Benson to work out the problem of the farmer and rancher on a basis reasonably consistent with the free enterprise which is the backbone of the nation; and we commend President Eisenhower's action in vetoing the recent farm bill because of its inconsistencies with the principles for which the administration has conscientiously labored;

FURTHER resolved, that untiring study of the difficulties of the farmer and rancher should be continued, with realization that they can only be satisfactorily solved on a long-range basis through bipartisan dedication to the principles of what is good for agriculture as an integral part of the country's economy, and not through efforts of politicians to buy, sell or capture the votes of farmers and ranchers in recurring election years.

Water And Soil Conservation

WHEREAS, the future growth, prosperity and defense of the nation are dependent on an adequate water supply, and an enlightened policy of soil conservation, but waste of water and a scarcity of water now exists in many areas, and flood and drainage erosion have damaged soil conditions in many areas, both in this state and throughout the nation;

NOW, therefore, be it resolved, that more definite, adequate and effective policies be adopted, both at state and national levels, for the conservation of our country's soil and water, and that necessary measures for the storage, usage and control of water be adopted in order to preserve our water and fertile soil, which are among the great and vital natural resources of the country.





No Foe For J.M. Kilgore

Chronicle Correspondence

McAllen—Rep. Joe M. Kilgore of the 15th Congressional District is unopposed in his bid for re-election.

He is a graduate of the University of Texas, a veteran of World War II, and a former member of the state legislature.

The McAllen congressman is a member of the House Post Office and Civil Service Committee and the Government Operations Committee.

NATIONAL CONVENTIONS JAMMED

One sure-fire attraction is the national convention of either major political party. The delegates and alternates always take up a great deal of the space, and the rest is always filled with spectators, candidate's friends, politicians who

didn't wrangle a delegate's seat, newsmen, radio and television personnel. Houston in 1928 had such an attraction—the Democratic national convention—and a scene demonstrating a typical crowd is shown above.

Electors' Names Not On Ballot

The 24 electors named at the Democratic state convention in Dallas May 22 included two from Houston. These electors will not go on the general election ballot.

The voters will vote for the President and Vice-President of their choice and this will determine the electors.

The Republicans will name their electors from Texas at a state convention Aug. 28.

The Democratic electors representing Texas are:

Jesse Andrews and Dean Johnston of Houston; W. O. Cooper and Leslie Hackler of Dallas; Tom Cummings, Cooper; Houston Thompson, Silsbee; G. A. Bodenheimer, Longview; Phil Wolford, McKinney;

Glynn A. Williams, Bryan; William Wayne Justice, Athens; Glen D. Birdwell, Richmond; R. H. Montgomery, Austin; E. A. Camp, Rockdale; James H. Baren, Arlington; Houston McMurray, Henrietta;

John E. Lyle, Corpus Christi; R. E. Bibb, Eagle Pass; Fred Hrvay, El Paso; Jim B. Cooper, Blanket; Jerry Johnson, Amarillo; N. C. Outlaw, Post; Mrs. Maury Maverick, San Antonio; E. E. Murphy, San Angelo and Rhea Howard, Wichita Falls.

Texas History Is Preserved

According to the Constitution of Texas, the Legislature may from time to time make appropriations for preserving and perpetuating memorials of the history of Texas, by means of monuments, statues, paintings and documents of historical value.

Dem Convention Expected To Get Texas Resolutions

Two resolutions on national questions—agriculture and states' rights—were approved by the Texas Democratic convention in May.

It is expected that copies of these resolutions will

be presented to the national platform committee of the Democratic national convention in Chicago for possible inclusion in the party's platform.

HERE ARE THE RESOLUTIONS STATES' RIGHTS

WHEREAS, this nation was established as a dual system of sovereignty, each sovereign paramount in its proper sphere; and

WHEREAS, the founding fathers provided for proper checks and balances as essential to the protection of life, liberty and property; and

WHEREAS, our American form of government can only stand while the two sovereignties recognize and protect the integrity of the other, so that the government shall be kept as close as possible to those governed; and

WHEREAS, in recent years there has been an increasing tendency on the part of our state government to abdicate, by the device of inaction, its responsibilities of state sovereignty, and at the same time there has been a growing tendency on the part of the federal government to encroach upon the rights and privileges of the state and local governments; and

WHEREAS, this tendency has not been discouraged, but in fact has received encouragement by those in high places in the present national Republican administration; and

WHEREAS, the principles essential to state sovereignty have been vigorously and ably espoused through a program of action by the Texas delegation in Congress under the matchless leadership of the honorable Sam Rayburn and the honorable Lyndon B. Johnson;

NOW, therefore, be it resolved that this convention of Democrats reaffirm and redeclare its faith in our dual system of sovereignty to the end that the state and the nation remain paramount each in its own proper sphere with the ultimate objective that the government of the United States and of this state shall remain as close as possible to those governed;

BE IT further resolved that our state government and the governments of its local subdivision be petitioned to assume once again the responsibilities necessarily attendant upon local self-government and that the government of the United States be petitioned to curtail federal encroachment upon the rights and the privileges of the state and local governments;

BE IT further resolved by the Democrats of Texas in convention assembled that the people of Texas are entitled to a government that is responsive to the needs of, and has its ear attuned to the problems of, today.

BE IT further resolved that copies of this resolution be transmitted to the executive, the legislative and the judicial branches of our government, both state and federal, so that each may know the strong feeling of this convention that the rights of the people are paramount and that the people rightfully look to the proper functioning of our dual system of sovereignty as envisioned by our founding fathers.

AGRICULTURE

WHEREAS, agriculture has not shared in the general prosperity of the nation; and

WHEREAS, the farm income has declined to a point where family-type farmers have experienced a fall in their standard of living; and

WHEREAS, farm depression is invariably a forerunner of general economic depression; and

WHEREAS, the present administration has blocked the efforts of Congress to pass legislation which would halt the economic decline of agriculture; and

WHEREAS, the present administration has been particularly strong in its opposition to measures sponsored by the honorable Lyndon B. Johnson that would remove existing discriminations against producers of small feed grains, including grain sorghums;

NOW, therefore, be it resolved that Congress be petitioned to continue its efforts to bolster agriculture against an economic decline; and

BE IT further resolved that Congress be petitioned particularly to tie the support price of small feed grains, including grain sorghums, to the equivalent feed value of corn; and

BE IT further resolved that the sliding scale price supports be permanently and completely eliminated from our farm laws; and

BE IT further resolved that the Democratic objective of full parity farm income with a minimum of 90 per cent parity loans for basics and other storeable commodities, with acreage allotments and marketing quotas when needed and when approved by producers, be re-established.

BE IT further resolved that copies of this resolution be transmitted to the secretary of the United States Senate and the clerk of the United States House of Representatives.

Sons of Two Ex-Justices Seek Court Post

Sons of two former chief justices of the Ninth Court of Civil Appeals in Beaumont are opponents for the position of associate justice of the same court.

One of these, Associate Justice Charles D. Walker, is the incumbent and has drawn the opposition of County Court at Law Judge L. B. Hightower. Both men live in Beaumont.

The Beaumont court is one of only two courts of civil appeals in Texas where the incumbent faces any opposition.

Second Term

Judge Walker is completing his second term. A native of Shelby, he is the son of the late Chief Justice Daniel Walker, who served on the bench for 18 years. Walker served as assistant attorney general for two years and practiced in Houston for two years, 1942-1944.

Judge Hightower has been on the County Court at Law bench for 10 years and is the son of the late Chief Justice L. B. Hightower, and the grandson of L. B. Hightower, who served as district judge in Liberty County for years.

A native East Texan, he is 42 years old. He is married and has one child.

11 Courts

Each of the 11 courts of civil appeals in the state has a chief justice and two associate justices, staggered so that ordinarily one of them runs every two years.

In the First District, in Galveston, there are two positions to be filled.

Chief Justice William B. Hamblen, Jr., is seeking reelection and Associate Justice G. G. Gannon, appointed in October, 1955, is making his first race for the unexpired two-year term.

Both are unopposed. Hamblen, whose father, grandfather, and great-grandfather were noted Houston lawyers, was appointed chief justice in 1953.

Gannon was appointed associate justice in 1955. Although he never received a formal law degree, he is considered one of the ablest attorneys in Texas.

Seventh Court

For the Seventh Court of Civil Appeals at Amarillo, incumbent Justice Herbert C. Martin is opposed by Alton B. Chapman of Floydada.

Unopposed candidates for the other civil appeals courts are: Second, Ft. Worth, Ben W. Boyd; Third, Austin, Raymond Gray; Fourth, San Antonio, A. J. Pope, Jr.; Fifth, Dallas, Towne Young; Sixth, Texarkana, Robert B. Keenan for chief justice and T. C. Chadick for associate justice; Eighth, El Paso, Joseph McGill; Tenth, Waco, Jake Tirey, and Eleventh, Eastland, Milburn S. Long.

BALLOT FOR STATE OFFICES

GOVERNOR

Price Daniel
J. Evetts Haley
J. J. Holmes
W. Lee O'Daniel
Reuben Senterfitt
Ralph Yarborough

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

A. M. Aikin, Jr.
Ben Ramsey
C. T. Johnson
John Lee Smith

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Will Wilson
Tom Moore
Curtis E. Hill
Ross Carlton

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT, PLACE 3

James R. Norvell
Robert G. Hughes

JUDGE, COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

W. A. Morrison
Jesse Owens

STATE TREASURER

Warren G. Harding
Jesse James

COMMISSIONER GENERAL LAND OFFICE

Ned Price
Earl Rudder

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE

Bill Jones
Jim Barber
John C. White

CONGRESSMAN-AT-LARGE

Bill Elkins
Martin Dies

STATE COMPTROLLER

Robert G. Calvert

RAILROAD COMMISSIONER

William J. Murray

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT, PLACE 1

Meade F. Griffin

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT, PLACE 2

Robert W. Calvert

*REFERENDUM

1. Repeal of compulsory school attendance laws when white and Negro children are mixed by public schools.
2. Perfection of state law barring intermarriage between Negroes and whites.
3. Use of interposition to halt "Illegal federal encroachment" on states' rights.

(*This referendum may not appear on ballot in Harris and other counties.)

SMOKE-FILLED ROOM AIRED OUT

Convention Decisions Start With Individual

BY VANCE NEWELL
Chronicle Staff

Some of the haughty, spat-and-cane journalists who discuss our national political conventions in the public prints dearly love that symbolic image of the political convention, "the smoke-filled room."

The symbol is effective, in a way, since it certainly creates a vivid picture in the mind of the reader. But if the truth be told, there are probably no more "smoke-filled rooms" at a national political convention than there are at the national conventions of, say, the American Legion, the American Library Association, or the Amalgamated International Assn. of Slush Pump Salesmen.

Precinct Conventions

Actually, the Democratic national convention, for example, is a distillation of the political sentiment that you—as an individual voter—have started by attending your precinct convention.

Precinct conventions, in Texas, will be held on the night of July 28, the date of the first Democratic primary election.

They take place at polling places, immediately after the close of the polls, at 7 p.m.

Factional lines in the Democratic party in Texas this year are drawn pretty gener-

ally along the "liberal vs. conservative" lines, and whether or not your particular box votes "conservative" or "liberal" will depend on which group musters a majority vote at the precinct convention.

Procedure

The precinct conventions are a good deal like the other political conventions on up the line in their procedure, but there's one difference.

The precinct convention is the only one at which the individual voter can directly express himself on the policies and nominees of his party.

At a precinct convention a slate of delegates is chosen to represent that precinct at the county convention.

The precinct's vote at the county convention is determined by the voting strength of the precinct, and in effect the voters of a precinct who are interested enough to attend the precinct convention determine the party representation of all the voters of that precinct.

Up to County

At the county convention, the same procedure is repeated—this time, on a county-wide scale. Representatives of the precincts cast their votes for policies and delegates to represent the county's Democratic party membership at the state convention.

At the state convention, where the voting strength of

the county delegations is apportioned by voting strength, the same procedure is repeated.

Policies and personalities are debated, a delegation is chosen to represent Texas at the national Democratic convention, and that delegation is instructed HOW to cast the votes which are allotted to Texas in the balloting on Democratic nominees for President and vice-president, and in the determination of the official Democratic party policies—the "platform."

Instructions

At the national convention, the Texas delegation casts its votes in accordance with its instruction—up to a point—and then votes, to the best of its ability, the way it thinks the Democratic majority in Texas wants it to vote.

The Texas votes, at the Democratic national convention, are usually cast all the same way, under the "unit rule."

This means that on all questions important enough to warrant a vote, the Texas delegation will hold a private meeting (a "caucus") to see how the majority of the Texas delegates want to vote on that question.

Then, all the Texas delegation votes will be cast whichever way the majority of the Texas delegation wants.

Other state delegations may

15 PER CENT OF VOTES HERE

Harris County has about 15 per cent of Texas' voting strength this political year.

Statewide a total of 2,410,188 persons are eligible to participate in the primaries, runoffs and the general election. This is the highest number ever qualified in the state.

A total of 339,653 persons in Harris County are qualified to vote, or about one third of the estimated population.

not be operating under the "unit rule," and may split on some particular candidate or policy, but the Texas delegation in recent presidential election years has operated under the "unit rule," by instruction from the state convention, which in turn gets its instructions from the delegates chosen at the county conventions, who in turn, have been instructed by the delegates from the precincts.

And that brings that "smoke-filled room" right back to your doorstep, whether you are Democrat or Republican.

The make-up and policies of the Texas delegations at this year's Republican and Democratic national conventions were determined at the precinct and state conventions held last spring.

At stake in the precinct and county conventions to be held this summer and fall are the policies and the control of the party machinery, both Democratic and Republican, within the state, for the next two years.

Attorney General Race Has Four Candidates

The race for Democratic nomination as state attorney general, with the incumbent, John Ben Shepperd, not seeking re-election, is one of the most active of the contests for state positions.

Four candidates are in the field—Will Wilson of Dallas, who resigned as associate justice of the state Supreme Court to enter; Tom Moore of Waco, McLennan County district attorney; Curtis E. Hill of Dallas, and Ross Carlton, also of Dallas.

The leading contenders are believed to be Wilson and Moore. Moore is expected to get a large segment of the liberal vote, but a good part of this vote may go to Wilson, who also has considerable conservative backing.

The attorney general, who gets \$20,000 a year, is the state's lawyer, giving legal advice to state and local officials upon request, prosecuting and defending law suits involving the state and its agencies. He serves for two years.

Because the opinions of his office decide many actions of the states and its governmental units, the attorney general is considered one of the state's most important officials.

'QUALIFIED BY EXPERIENCE'

Select State Lawyer Carefully--Will Wilson

Voters should pick the state's lawyer as carefully as they would choose personal legal counsel, says Will Wilson, candidate for attorney general.

"I feel that I am qualified by experience in that I have twice been an assistant attorney general; I have served two terms as district attorney of Dallas County; and I have served six years as an associate justice of the Supreme Court of Texas," Wilson declared.

A native of Dallas County, Wilson graduated in geology from Oklahoma University and roughnecked in the oil fields before turning to law.

He worked for a Dallas law firm while taking his legal work at Southern Methodist University.

Wilson was in general law practice in Dallas from 1937 to 1941, when he entered the attorney general's office as an assistant.

He was elected Dallas County district attorney in 1947 and re-elected in 1948. During that time he served as president of the District and County Attorneys Assn. of Texas and was one of five district attorneys selected from over the nation to advise the National Conference on Organized Crime.



TOM MOORE

He is a former president of the Dallas Junior Bar Assn. and has been active in the State Bar, the Presbyterian Church, the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the 32d Division Veterans Assn., and the Texas Public Health Assn.

In his platform, he pledges to strengthen city and county governments wherever possible. "The best way to stop the centralization of government is by building strong and effective units of local government," he declared.

ATTORNEY GENERAL CANDIDATE

Tom Moore Pledges Fight On Government Corruption

Tom Moore, McLennan County district attorney who gained state-wide attention with his conduct of a grand jury probe of the U.S. Trust and Guaranty case, pledges to "wage war against those who would betray our citizens," in his campaign for attorney general.

A native of Waco, Moore is a graduate of Baylor University law school. He is now serving his second elective term as district attorney of McLennan County.

An overseas veteran of World War II, he served with the military government department on Okinawa and in Japan. He is 38, married and the father of three children.

He is a member of the Chamber of Commerce, the Junior Chamber of Commerce, the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the State Bar Assn.

He is active in St. Alban's Episcopal Church at Waco.

Moore listed a seven-point campaign platform. This includes pledges to provide a top-flight legal staff for the state's business; to prepare "honest and impartial" legal opinions for officials; to increase legal service to legislators; to revitalize the anti-trust department; to give careful attention to boards of



WILL WILSON

which the attorney general is a member; to provide skilled representatives for state agencies; and to fight "corruption at all levels of government and prosecution of corrupt officials without fear or favor."

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Ross Carlton to Run On Segregation Platform

First president of the Texas Citizens Council of Dallas, and first chairman of the executive committee of the Associated Citizens Councils of Texas, Ross Carlton is running for attorney general on a platform of maintaining segregation.

He resigned his Citizens Council's post when he entered the state race.

Born and reared in Dallas County, Carlton received his law degree from the University of Texas Law School. He is 45, is married and has two children.

He served in the attorney general's department under Gerald C. Mann.

He has practiced law in Dallas since leaving the attorney general's office.

Hill Plans Radio and TV Campaign

Curtis E. Hill, candidate for attorney general, plans to do most of his campaign over radio and television and has not yet completed his platform.

He was born in Upshur County on Dec. 3, 1905, the youngest of nine brothers and sisters. He chose his own name at the age of 6, the Curtis for the father of a boy friend, and his middle name, Edison, for Thomas A. Edison.

He attended East State Teachers College for a time and then entered West Point, where he served for two years. He was admitted to the bar in 1930.

He served as county attorney of Upshur County for three years, 1931-1934.

One Rail Commissioner And Comptroller Unopposed

Two of the state's elected officers, State Controller Robert S. Calvert and Railroad Commissioner William J. Murray, have no opposition in the Democratic primary, and very probably none in the general election.

There are three railroad commissioners, each with a six-year term, with one elected every two years. The position pays \$17,500 yearly.

The railroad commission regulates common carriers, such as railroads, trucks and buses, as well as contract carriers, issuing certificates of necessity and permits.

Regulates Oil

This commission also approves intrastate freight and passenger rates and, most important of all, regulates gas and oil production, including determination of how much oil by fields may be produced each month.

The body also has appellate authority over natural gas rates charged by local distributing systems.

CHECK YOUR TAX RECEIPT

Voters who have moved from one precinct to another after getting their poll tax receipt must have their poll receipts or exempt certificate corrected at the county tax office before each of the pending primaries and elections.

Deadlines for such corrections are:

For first primary July 24.

For runoff primary Aug. 20.

For general election and school board election, Nov. 1.

The state comptroller of public accounts is elected a two-year term, draws \$500 annually, and is the state's chief bookkeeper.

General Accounting

He maintains a general accounting system for agencies, issues salary checks for state officials and employees. Each regular session of the state legislature is finished with an estimate of prospective revenue for succeeding two years as basis for appropriations.

The comptroller also files or refuses to certify appropriation bills as within or exceeding the estimates of revenue, under pay-as-you-go amendments the state constitution, and elects or supervises collection of most state taxes. State taxes, however, are collected by the state treasurer and secretary of state.

Campaign Rules Are Distributed

A code of fair campaign practices has been submitted to all candidates for public office in Texas this year with request that all subscribe.

The code was submitted by Bishop Everett H. Jones, president of the Texas Council of Churches; Most Rev. R. E. Lucey, archbishop of San Antonio, and Maurice N. Tenbaum, chairman of the Southwest Advisory Board of the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith.

The code, developed from recommendations of a Senate committee, is aimed at insuring high ethical standards and fair play during the campaign.

The code, among other things calls for the candidate to condemn and repudiate use of "personal vilification, character defamation," like practices.



ROSS CARLTON

Congressman Is 'Different'

Texas elects one congressman-at-large who represents the entire state in the national House of Representatives.

Martin Dies of Lufkin, the incumbent who is seeking nomination for re-election, is opposed by Bill Elkins, Dallas real estate man.

The congressman-at-large receives the same salary and emoluments as district congressman, \$22,500, and is elected for the same two-year term.

He is elected at large because of the failure of the state legislature to redistrict the congressional districts after the 1950 federal census, which gave Texas an additional member of Congress, its 22d.

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Martin Dies Seeking Third Congress Term

Seeking a third term as congressman at large is Martin Dies of Lufkin, pledging the outlawing of the Communist party, protection of states' rights and reduction of unnecessary government expenditures.

Dies, 56, began practicing law in 1920 and continued until he was elected congressman from the Beaumont district. After 15 years he retired to resume law practice in Lufkin.

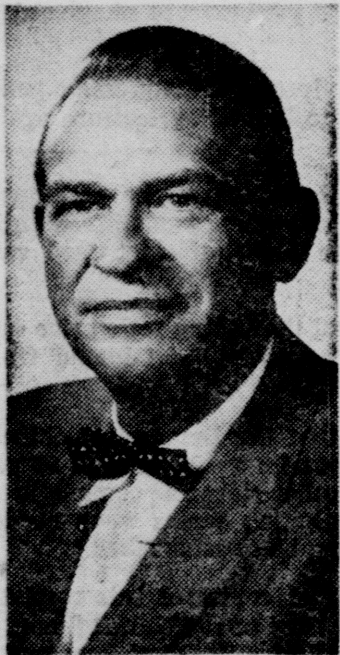
In 1952 he was elected congressman at large and served as member of the committee on interstate and foreign commerce. He is former chairman of the committee on un-American activities and author of a 1954 law to outlaw the Communist party.

Dies favors strong national defense—militarily, economically and spiritually; co-operation with non-Communist nations; the role of impartial umpire for the government in dealings with labor, industry and agriculture.

He attended National University, Hickman College, Wesley College and the University of Texas after graduation from Beaumont High School.

His early law practice was in Marshall and Orange.

He married Myrtle McAdams in 1920, and has three married sons, Martin, Robert and Jack.



MARTIN DIES



BILL ELKINS

Elkins in Race For At-Large Congress Post

With a "three R's" platform of restrictions on foreign aid, removal of government waste, and reduction of income taxes, William F. (Bill) Elkins of Dallas is in the race for congressman at large.

The 38-year-old Dallas real estate man says he supports national defense.

Elkins wants maintenance of a modern armed forces "second to none, not with a view toward war, but with a view toward preventing war."

Elkins attended both the University of Texas and Texas A. and M. College.

During World War II he became a heavy bomber pilot, engaging in 40 combat missions. He was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and six air medals.

He is past state commander of the American Legion and has held both state and national positions with the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

He has been engaged in civic activities in both his native Killeen and Dallas.

Elkins has three children—Billy, 17; Ellen, 15, and Stevie, 4.

His public school education was in Killeen, Waco and Temple.

REMEMBER THE DATE

Throughout Texas, on July 28, the polls will open at 7 a.m. and close at 7 p.m.

Thompson And Korenek Vie In 9th District

By Galveston Bureau
Galveston — Rep. Clark W. Thompson, veteran of 12 years in the House, is opposed in the Ninth Congressional District by a Fayette County farmer, Jerome Korenek, of Freyburg.

Thompson, who has never lost a race, is a member of the House committee on agriculture and heads two special subcommittees, one on rice farming and the other on family farms.

House Work

He has sponsored all recent rice legislation in the House, and has authored bills on agriculture and soil conservation, river and harbor work in his district and special bills, such as the Texas City disaster claims and tin smelter legislation.

Thompson, who first served in the House in 1933-34 when he filled an unexpired term, said there are "no particular issues in the campaign—I'm just busy doing my job."

Little is known of Korenek, who said he is "just too busy with the farm" to discuss his own background and the campaign. His name will not appear on the ballot in Galveston County because he failed to file in time.

Thompson said one of the most important problems he is now dealing with is that of family farms. He is about to propose legislation to re-establish a sound economy for family farmers, he said.

"The family size farmer has been pretty well pushed into the economic background by the vast, mechanized and irrigated farms of West Texas and the rest of the nation," said Thompson.

Farm Aid

"Through manipulation of acreage allotments," he said, "family farmers have lost much of their production. I propose to restore it to them."

Among other important projects in the district now under consideration, Thompson said, is deepening of the Colorado, Lavaca and Navidad rivers, the new channel at Pass Cavallo, watershed projects at Ft. Bend and Fayette counties, and development of the Guadalupe River.



CLARK THOMPSON



GILBERT SPRING



JOHN DOWDY

Dowdy, Spring In Congress Race

Chronicle Correspondence

Nacogdoches—Voters in the 12 counties comprising the Seventh Congressional District of Texas will have two choices when they elect a United States representative on July 28.

The two candidates are John Dowdy of Athens, seeking re-election after four years in Congress, and Gilbert Spring of Apple Springs, Trinity County.

Before Dowdy was elected to the Congress over James L. Norton of Nacogdoches in 1952, he was district attorney of Houston, Anderson, and Henderson counties for eight years.

Spring has served Trinity and Angelina counties in the state legislature since 1950.

At 44, Dowdy is married and the father of two children. He began his political career in 1944 when he was elected district attorney.

After eight years in this position, he was one of six to announce for the post Congressman Tom Pickett vacated in 1952.

Dowdy led the field in the first primary and was an easy winner against Norton in the runoff. He had no opponent in 1954, when he ran for re-election for the first time.

Dowdy's Platform

Dowdy's platform emphasizes honesty and economy in government, reduction of taxes, local self-government, improved soil, water and forest conservation, better farm-to-market roads, and preservation of the farm family as a way of life.

One of Dowdy's biggest ambitions in Congress is to help bring about what he calls an "equitable" farm bill. He led a successful fight earlier in the year for a larger 1956 cotton acreage allotment for each of the counties in his district.

In private life, Dowdy is a prominent Methodist layman, a leader in Boy Scout and other youth organizations, and a member of Oddfellows, Knight of Pythias, Kiwanis Club, and Woodmen of the World.

Spring is a native of Apple Spring, a small Trinity County community between Lufkin and Groveton. While attending the University of Texas he became interested in government and economics.

Spring launched his political career after seven years of active duty in the Army. He was elected state representative in 1950 and still holds that office. He is married and the father of three daughters.

Spring's Planks

Spring is pinning his hopes for victory on a platform that emphasizes these planks:

- 1 Opposition to the raising of first class postal rates from 3 cents to 4 cents per ounce to compensate for the loss of money on second class matter.
- 2 Discontinuance of free mailing privileges to members of Congress.
- 3 Completion of McGee Bend dam on the Angelina River.
- 4 A more expansive program of water conservation.
- 5 A more strategic dispersal of defense plants, military bases, and civil manufacturing plants in order to bolster national defense.

As a member of the Texas legislature, Spring said he concentrated on aid for the rural people of Texas. He was a staunch supporter of the farm-to-market road program, improved educational facilities, and helped pass the Trinity River Authority bill to help conserve water needed for farming and industrial purposes.



R. E. (PEPPY) BLOUNT

TIMES CHANGE; POLITICAL ORATORS BOW TO 'EXPERTS'

The political orator, who once was contented to speak from the tail of a wagon and thought he was lucky if he had a shady spot, has been "expertized."

With the emphasis on radio and television coverage of the national political conventions this year, many an old-time orator will find himself bowing to the technical experts when he starts his spiel.

For instance, the Democratic convention will have an "equalizer"—a series of platforms (invisible to the TV audience) which will assure that the speakers' heads, no matter how tall or short the speakers are, appear at the same spot on the TV screens.

Beckworth and Blount In Beaumont Race

Chronicle Correspondence

Tyler—A former congressman and a Tyler attorney are candidates for the Third Congressional District post being vacated by Rep. Brady Gentry of Tyler.

Lindley Beckworth is trying to regain the seat which he relinquished four years ago to make an unsuccessful campaign for the United States Senate.

The other candidate, R. E. (Peppy) Blount, served in the Texas House of Representatives from 1946 to 1952.

In Congress 14 Years

Beckworth served 14 years as congressman from the district.

A native of Upshur County, he farmed, taught school, has done oil field work and held other jobs. He was schooled at East Texas State Teachers College, Baylor University, the University of Texas, Southern Methodist University and Abilene Christian College.

He served one term in the Texas Legislature from Upshur and Camp counties. He is a Baptist, an Odd Fellow and attorney.

"I have supported in the past and will continue to support economy and efficiency in government, and tax reductions consistent with our defense needs," Beckworth said.

Would Probe Subversives

He also states he will continue to support committees to investigate and eliminate subversive activities, efforts to eliminate corruption, dishonesty and disloyalty in and out of government.

"I favor a progressive civil aviation program; it will save the taxpayers money," he said.

"Beckworth has endeavored to aid and has supported all legislation to assist our farmers, ranchers, small businessmen, aged, blind, crippled, unemployed and those who toil," he said.

Blount's Record

Blount, as a member of the Texas House, supported the Gilmer-Aikin school law, the stabilizing of the price of natural gas, and introduced legislation in the field of water conservation.

In his platform Blount advocates a continuation of segregation in public schools.

"I am opposed to the mixing of white and colored chil-



LINDLEY BECKWORTH

dren in our public schools and favor the 'equal but separate' doctrine that has served us well for over 75 years," Blount said.

Favors States' Rights

He also favors states' rights and strong local self-government.

Blount's platform also advocates restraining the powers of the United States Supreme Court to "interpreting the Constitution, not amending it."

The congressional candidate also stands for a reduction of foreign aid. His platform suggests the nation's foreign policy must be given a "new look" based on separate need, merit, ability and, "most important a national will to remain free, rather than to yield to the pressure of our 'allies' to deal with Russia."

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JOHN J. BELL

Bell, Young Candidates In 14th District

Chronicle Correspondence

Cuero—John J. Bell, incumbent congressman, and County Judge John Young of Nueces County, are candidates for the Democratic nomination for United States Representative of the 14th Congressional District.

Bell is finishing his first term in Congress and Young is now serving his fourth term as county judge.

A native of Cuero, Bell is a descendant of one of DeWitt County's pioneer families. He received his bachelor of arts and law degree from the University of Texas.

The congressman served in the Texas House of Representatives from 1937 to 1947 and in the Texas Senate from 1947 until 1954.

"I am extremely proud of the many projects I have been able to secure for the 14th District," Bell says. "I am asking that I be privileged to return to Washington to complete many vital projects now pending."

Before Young was elected Nueces county judge, he served as county attorney, assistant district attorney and assistant county attorney.

He attended the school of law at the University of Texas and was admitted to the state bar in 1940. Young is a member of the Nueces County Farm Bureau and the American Farm Bureau Federation.

Judge Young said he will, as congressman, "continue to pursue the policy which I have always adhered to in public office, emphasizing production rather than promises."



JOHN YOUNG



JACK B. BROOKS



MELVIN COMBS

Brooks to Vie With Judge for Congress

Chronicle Correspondence

Beaumont—Two candidates, Rep. Jack B. Brooks and Dist. Judge Melvin Combs, are seeking the Democratic nomination for Congress from the Second Congressional District.

Brooks, a former member of the state legislature, is now serving his second term as congressman of the district.

A native of Crowley, La., he is the bachelor son of Mrs. Grace Brooks and a graduate of the University of Texas Law School.

Same Three Planks

Three planks in his platform this year, as when he first ran for Congress, are to exert every effort to secure an adequate fresh water supply for industry and agriculture in the Sabine, Neches and Trinity watersheds; to work for efficiency in government operations, and to stay close to the people of his district.

He cites his record of achievement as proof that he is living up to his campaign promises.

"I am working with other members of the House for maximum development of our waterways. I have worked hard to be of real assistance to the people of the district."

"As chairman of the activities subcommittee on government operations," Brooks said, "I have looked closely into inner workings of various agencies in Washington and in one agency my subcommittee was responsible for substantial cash savings for the taxpayers."

Old Game

The Combs name is not new to East Texas politics.

Judge Combs' late father, who died here four years ago, was congressman from the Second District from 1944 through 1952.

The young Judge Combs, a graduate of the University of Texas School of Law, is a native East Texan. He served as Jefferson County district attorney for two years and was re-elected for another two-year term but entered the armed services at the outbreak of World War II.

He is currently completing four years on the 60th District Court bench.

Judge Combs has been prominent in civic affairs. He is past commander of the local American Legion Post, be-

longs to the Veterans of Foreign Wars, is a member of the Lions Club, and of the Forty-and-Eight and is a teacher in the Calder Ave. Baptist Church.

In Judge Combs' announcement for Congress he stated he would work to retain veteran's benefits which he says are now in danger of reduction; that he wants to work out a program of federal aid to education, administered through the state, which would provide assistance to areas not able to furnish adequate school facilities through local taxation, and he wants income tax deductions for dependents raised from the current \$600 level.

He also said he will work for relief for farmers to close the gap between farm and industrial incomes; will work to promote a program of water and soil conservation for this district and will strive to develop the system of dams on the Neches-Angelina, Sabine and Trinity River waterways to insure a sufficient fresh water supply for agriculture and industry in the area.

Teague Candidate For Re-election

Chronicle Correspondence

College Station—Rep. Olin E. Teague, for the past 10 years the congressman from the Sixth Congressional District, is unopposed in his bid for re-election.

Teague is the chairman of the House veterans affairs committee. He is a well-decorated veteran of World War II. He was wounded six times and decorated 11 times before he was discharged with the rank of colonel.

Thornberry Is Unopposed Again

Austin Bureau

Austin—Homer Thornberry had five opponents in the Democratic primary when he first ran for Congress in the 10th District eight years ago.

Only one came out against him two years later. Thornberry won 40,165 to 4167.

He was opposed in 1952 and 1954 and he has no opponent this year as he seeks the Democratic nomination for a fifth term. The congressman is a resident of Austin.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S RACE

Ramsey Faces 3 Opponents

Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey of San Augustine faces three opponents in the Democratic primary in his bid for re-election.

Ramsey is opposed, in the lieutenant governor's race, by A. M. Aikin, state senator from Paris; John Lee Smith, Lubbock lawyer and former lieutenant governor, and C. T. Johnson of Austin, insurance man.

The lieutenant governor presides over the state senate, and through his power to appoint standing committees and to direct legislation through that body, has considerable influence in state affairs. His term is for two years.

He receives no set salary but gets the same pay as the state senators, \$25 per day for the first 120 days of the regular biennial sessions and for special sessions.

The lieutenant governor becomes acting governor when the governor is out of the state, receiving the governor's salary for that time, and succeeds the governor if the latter dies, resigns or is removed.



A. M. AIKIN

Lieutenant Governor Is 'Tie' Breaker

When the Senate of Texas is equally divided on a voting issue, the deciding vote is cast by the lieutenant governor, who is president of the Senate body.

LT. GOVERNOR CANDIDATE

Aikin Vows Fight For Better Schools

State Sen. A. M. Aikin, a veteran of 23 years in the Texas Legislature, is in the four-man race for lieutenant governor this year.

A coauthor of the Gilmer-Aikin school improvement bill, the veteran legislator promises, if elected to the lieutenant governorship, to continue to fight for better school facilities.

Believes in Segregation

He believes that segregation in the public schools is in the best interest of both the white and Negro students.

He announced he will make no campaign promises because "no one knows what issues we will face a year from now," but said he hopes that a strict lobby registration law with teeth will be enacted so the people "will know who represents whom and for what."

He has sponsored legislation on state hospitals, school for the blind, school for the deaf, special education for retarded children, junior colleges, rural aid appropriations, salary increases for state employees and for firemen and policemen and a National Guard armory board.

Born in Red River County

Aikin was born at Aikin Grove in Red River County, Oct. 9, 1905. His father moved to Milton in Lamar County. After graduating from high school in Deport, Aikin attended Paris Junior College.

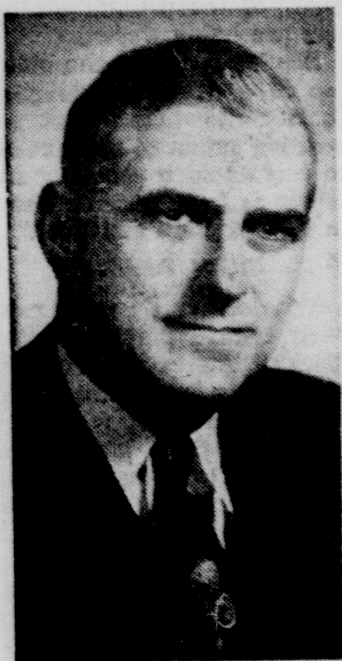
He was graduated from Cumberland University in 1932 with a bachelor of laws degree.

Aikin was elected to the state House of Representatives in 1932 and served two terms there. Since then he has served in the state Senate and was president pro tempore in 1943.

On May 25, 1929, he married Welma Morphew, a former schoolteacher. They have one son, A. M. Aikin III.

RESERVED, QUIET—BATTLES WITHOUT FANFARE

Studious Ben Ramsey Unlike Popular Conception of Politician



BEN RAMSEY

Description Of Texas' Seal

The seal of the state of Texas, according to the constitution, shall be a star of five points, encircled by olive and live oak branches, and the words — "The State of Texas."

Ben Ramsey, seeking re-election as lieutenant governor, is studious and usually serious, except for a spark of dry wit, unlike the popular conception of a politician.

A reserved, quiet man, Ramsey goes about his work without fanfare but has no distaste for a rugged battle. He was the first public official to publicly denounce the insurance racketeers.

A long-time advocate of conservation measures, Ramsey says that "soil is the storehouse of agriculture and industry. Water is the key to both."

School System According to Needs

He has consistently supported highway and farm-to-market road legislation, and has announced for an educational system commensurate with present and future needs.

The lieutenant governor saw the accomplishment of one of his 1954 campaign promises in the passage of the 53d Legislature of the minimum salary bill for schoolteachers.

He has called for stricter curbs on lobbying, elimination of loan sharks, stiffer penalties for sale of narcotics, and an unyielding fight to assure soundness of insurance policies.

Experienced

Ramsey served two terms both in the House of Representatives and the state Senate, and served as secretary of state under two governors. He resigned as secretary of state in 1950 to run for lieutenant governor, successfully.

Born in the historic town of San Augustine, Ramsey grew up on the farm. He returned to San Augustine after attending the University of Texas and qualifying for an attorney's shingle in 1931.

Ramsey and his wife have two daughters and live on their farm about three miles from San Augustine.

OPPOSES INTEGRATION

Ex-Lt. Gov. Smith Is Candidate Again

John Lee Smith of Lubbock, lieutenant governor for two terms, 1943-1947, is seeking to return to that position. He is one of the four candidates seeking the Democratic nomination.

Smith opposes integration in the public schools and declares that the Supreme Court decision "nullifying the statutes of 17 states providing for segregation was an exercise of despotic power wholly without constitutional authority."

He favors the use of interposition, or any other legal method, to "restrain the arrogant and insolent abuse of power by the United States Supreme Court."

He says public office is a public trust and promises to work again for full payment of old age pensions and to support the farm-to-market road program.

He said he will seek improvement of mental hospitals and favors a program of water conservation capable of serving all of the state's runoff waters, administered by local authorities.

He also favors the enforcement of insurance laws as well as the proper administration of stock and security regulations; and economy in all branches of the state government.

Smith was born May 16, 1892, at Chico in Wise County. His family moved to Throckmorton County in 1900 where on a small farm he grew to manhood.

He has been a practicing attorney at Lubbock since 1947.

'ELECT UTILITY COMMISSION'

C. T. Johnson Is Making His Second Bid for Lt. Governor

C. T. Johnson, Austin insurance man and building contractor, is making his second bid for nomination in the Democratic primary for lieutenant governor.

He is running on a platform that calls for an elected state utility commission, \$75 monthly pension for all eligible citizens at 65, reduction of taxes and a state-wide water conservation program.

Johnson was runner-up to Ben Ramsey in 1952, getting 208,768 votes to Ramsey's 805,574.

He had promised, if elected, to "keep a sharp eye on senators who accepted from companies retainer fees of such a questionable nature that, when exposed to public view, they voluntarily returned them."

In his water program, Johnson

proposes to build 100,000 small dams in Northwest Texas and a vast canal project, paralleling the Gulf Coast.

Johnson was born on a farm near Moulton in Lavaca County. He attended the University of Texas and is a veteran of World War II, and a member of the Baptist Church.

He and his wife, the former Gladys Miller of Lockhart, have one daughter.



JOHN LEE SMITH



C. T. JOHNSON

Yarborough Is Liberals' Man

Ralph Yarborough, Austin attorney and former judge and assistant attorney general, is regarded as the Texas liberals' candidate for governor.

He is making his third bid for the Democratic nomination, having been defeated in 1952 and 1954 by Allan Shivers, the latter time after a close and bitter race which resulted in a runoff. He lost a race for attorney general to Price Daniel in 1948.

On Platform

Yarborough's platform was announced in a speech he made in Nacogdoches June 1, and he has been staying on these planks in subsequent addresses.

He has come out for a water conservation program which includes construction of many dams, an anti-stream pollution drive, soil conservation and "working" drouth relief program.

Yarborough also urges improved public school facilities with higher teacher salaries and retirement pay; \$30 a month additional for old age pensions, increased grants to the needy blind and to dependent children.

Other Points

Other campaign points are fulltime state probation and parole officers, restoration of the community service division of the Youth Development Council; an enlarged state anti-narcotics division; a program of treatment for the mentally ill; a public health and hospitalization program; larger workmen's compensation payments; rural electrification, farm-to-market roads and better state highways.

He said he opposes the use of force in integration of the schools, urged lobby legislation laws and is opposed to any new sales taxes or a state income tax.

Yarborough was born at Chandler in Henderson County and lists his career as farm harvest hand, oil field worker, country school teacher, lawyer, assistant attorney general, lawyer, judge and soldier.

He was graduated from the University of Texas Law School and after joining an El Paso law firm, became an assistant to the attorney general, James V. Allred.

In World War II

He was an original director of the Lower Colorado River Authority and after serving as district judge for five years was commissioned as an Army captain in World War II.

He is an American Legion-

naire, a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, a past president of the Travis County Bar Assn., a director of the Texas State Bar and a member of the Board of Examiners and American Law Institute.

A Baptist, Yarborough is a former trustee and Sunday school teacher. He married Miss Opal Warren in 1928 and the Yarboroughs have one son, Richard, now in military service.



RALPH YARBOROUGH

O'Daniel Backs Segregationists

W. Lee O'Daniel, former governor and United States senator and one of the most colorful campaigners in Texas history, is seeking to regain the governor's seat in Austin.

O'Daniel is touring the state in a red fire truck often speaking from it—but is not drawing the crowds which once turned out to see and hear him.

In his announcement of his candidacy, he said he "would stage a no-holds-barred crusade for clean honest government." His platform, he said, would "continue to be the Ten Commandments" and his motto the "Golden Rule."

Hits Court

O'Daniel has hit hard at the United States Supreme Court's ruling on desegregation. In his campaign literature he stressed that if elected he will "invoke all powers the sovereign state may have to see that the colored citizens do have separate free public schools so they may not be humiliated by being forced into nonsegregated public schools against their will."

He also declares that "water conservation has long been a political football to be kicked about by self-serving groups having representation in the state legislature."

O'Daniel also declared that he proposed to do something constructive about equalizing taxes.

"The present system of taxation all the way down from Washington to the smallest corporate city is a crazy patchwork affair that does not make sense.

"We can straighten out the mess here in Texas and thus lead the way forward to an equitable and just system of taxing and collecting taxes. I have a constructive plan that will reduce taxes," he says.

A strong proponent of states rights, O'Daniel has called for "stopping federal encroachment through Supreme Court edict."

Made History

O'Daniel made state political history in 1938 when he won the governor's race. Politicians gave him virtually no chance. He served as governor to Aug. 4, 1941 when he went to the United States Senate after winning a special elec-

tion. He was re-elected for a full six-year term in 1943, and retired up on its completion.

Born in Malta, Ohio, March 11, 1890, O'Daniel attended public schools and a business college in Kansas and then came to Texas to engage in farming, ranching, flour milling and the grain business until he ran for governor.

He now is in the insurance business, having organized six of his own companies, and lives in Dallas.

Senterfitt Makes Fighting Race

Reuben Senterfitt, twice speaker of the House, was the first candidate to announce for the governorship, and has been waging a fighting campaign for nearly a year.

Although quiet-spoken, he has vigorously attacked several of his opponents in his campaign talks.

He withdrew from the governor's race two years ago, after Allan Shivers announced for re-election.

Senterfitt has based much

of his recent campaigning against "forced integration" and is backing interposition as a method of protesting the United States Supreme Court's school segregation decision.

A strong advocate of local self-government, the former speaker has spoken repeatedly against federal encroachment on state's rights and has called for revision of the state constitution.

Early this year he advocated a state constitutional convention, declaring it "imperative that we take action to bring about exacting reforms at the administrative and executive level."

Reforms Urged

Senterfitt declared that only through such a convention, to modernize the state constitution adopted in 1878, can the "imperatively needed reforms be found and effected."

His platform is based on "a good sound progressive program for the state of Texas, in the fields of education, conservation and welfare."

He is against any new taxes until a thorough check can be made to determine how many of the present tax dollars are being wasted.

Senterfitt wants the state's top officials to be given authority "to take quick and positive action to prevent and to correct such shocking situations as have arisen recently in certain state activities."

Cities' Problems

The former speaker has been critical of Texas cities' "lack of interest in the affairs of the state legislature," pointing out that as a result they now find their activities so restricted in some fields and so enormous in others, that they cannot cope with their problems.

Senterfitt is regarded as a conservative but dislikes that term, considering himself a "moderate." He heartily dislikes the term, "middle-of-the-roader," however.

A San Saba attorney and banker, Senterfitt served as speaker of the House for two terms, one of two men in state history to hold this position for two consecutive terms.

He served in the legislature for eight years before becoming speaker.

Senterfitt, who is 38, lives in San Saba with his wife and three children.



W. LEE O'DANIEL

LIKED IKE, HOOVER

Texans Twice Deserted Dems

Texas has deserted the Democratic party in a national election only twice since the two major parties entered the political field.

One time, of course, was four years ago when the state gave Dwight D. Eisenhower 1,102,878 votes to 969,228 for Adlai Stevenson. It also went Republican in 1928 with 367,036 votes for Herbert Hoover and 341,032 for Al Smith.

Since the turn of the century, Texans have voted in the presidential elections for major party candidates as follows:

1900—William Jennings Bryan, D., 267,432; William McKinley, R., 130,641.

1904—John G. Parker, D., 167,200; Theodore Roosevelt, R., 51,242.

1908—William Jennings Bryan, D., 217,302; William Howard Taft, R., 65,666.

1912—Woodrow Wilson, D., 219,489; William Howard Taft, R., 26,745; Theodore Roosevelt, Prog., 28,530.

1916—Woodrow Wilson, D., 285,514; Charles E. Hughes, R., 64,919.

1920—James M. Cox, D., 238,514; Warren G. Harding, R., 114,269.

1924—John W. Davis, D., 484,605; Calvin Coolidge, R., 130,023; Robert LaFollette, Prog., 42,881.

1928—Herbert Hoover, 367,036; Al Smith, 341,032.

1932—Franklin D. Roosevelt, D., 760,348; Herbert Hoover, 97,959.

1936—Franklin D. Roosevelt, D., 734,485; Alfred M. Landon, 103,874.

1940—Franklin D. Roosevelt, D., 840,151; Wendell Willkie, 199,152.

1944—Franklin D. Roosevelt, D., 821,605; Thomas Dewey, R., 191,425; Texas Regulars, 125,439.

1948—Harry Truman, D., 750,700; Thomas Dewey, R., 282,240; Strom Thurmond, States' Rights Dems., 106,909.

1952—Dwight Eisenhower, R., 1,102,878; Adlai Stevenson, D., 969,228.



REUBEN E. SENTERFITT



Two Seek Post On Top Court

Three associate justices of the state's Supreme Court will be voted upon in Texas this year, but only in one of them, that of Place 3, is there any contest in the Democratic primary.

Two justices of courts of civil appeals, Robert J. Hughes of Austin and James R. Norvell of San Antonio, are seeking the Place 3 position. Will Wilson resigned that spot to run for attorney general, and Abner McCall, dean of the University of Texas law school, was named as interim justice.

The Place 1 and Place 2 associate justices have only the incumbents running, Meade F. Griffin and Robert W. Calvert.

The Supreme Court has a chief justice and eight associate justices, elected for six years with overlapping terms. It is the state's highest court in civil matters, and is empowered to promulgate rules of civil procedure for the state bar.

The positions pay \$17,500 annually.

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JAMES R. NORVELL

J. R. Norvell Is Seeking Vacant Post

James R. Norvell, of San Antonio, is a candidate for the vacant Place 3, Supreme Court of Texas.

Norvell is now associate justice of the Fourth Court of Civil Appeals, having served in this capacity for 16 years.

He entered the practice of law in 1926. Prior to that time he was a high school teacher. For a number of years, Norvell taught a class in appellate procedure at St. Mary's University Law School, San Antonio.

A graduate of the University of Colorado law school, Norvell started his legal career in Edinburg. He married the former Mabel Keeley in 1927.

In a brief statement Norvell said:

"Texas has a truly distinctive judicial tradition. I would follow this tradition as best I may. I would hope to maintain order rather than create confusion, be temperate in expression, yet just in decision."

R. G. Hughes Is Seeking Justice Post

Robert G. Hughes is seeking election as associate justice of the Supreme Court of Texas, Place 3.

Hughes, 56, of Tom Green County, is now associate justice of the Third Court of Civil Appeals, which sits at Austin.

He has held this position since 1946. Hughes received his public school education in Hico, Hamilton County, and graduated from the University of Texas school of law in 1926.

He is a veteran of two year's service with the Navy in World War I.

Hughes moved to San Angelo in 1926, where he was in private law practice until 1946. During that time he served as city attorney for eight years, and as district attorney from 1943 to 1946.

"I resigned that position in favor of a returning World War II veteran who had left the office to enter military service," he said.

Hughes and his wife have been married for 29 years. They have four children and two grandchildren.



ROBERT G. HUGHES



JOHN C. WHITE

White Seeks To Continue Farm Plan

John C. White, 31, is seeking his fourth term as state commissioner of agriculture.

White says that his platform is to continue the modernization and improvement program he inaugurated five years ago. He said that his program has increased services to farmers and industry by more than 400 per cent.

"During the last legislative session this department was the only state agency which did not have to ask for an increased amount of tax money from the state revenue fund," he said.

A native of Newport, Clay County, White is a graduate of Texas Technological College, Lubbock. He is married to the former Miss Mary Jean Prince of Hunt County. They have three sons.

In 1946 White opened the first veterans vocational school in Wilbarger County. He was then appointed to the agricultural teaching staff at Midwestern University, Wichita Falls. There he was also co-ordinator of a three-county vocational school unit, training more than 2000 veterans.

Montana Delegates 'Promised'

Helena, Mont.—(AP)—Montana's newly elected 32 Democratic national convention delegates are under a voters' mandate to cast their 16 votes for Sen. Estes Kefauver's nomination until he fails to get 20 per cent of the ballots or he releases them.

Only the Tennessee senator took advantage of Montana's new presidential preference primary and filed.

Delegates polled by the Associated Press indicate that if they should find themselves on their own, Illinois ex-Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson would be their choice over New York Gov. Averell Harriman, 15-3.

Most would not go beyond that, but those listing second choices were divided almost equally among Stevenson, Harriman and Sen. Stuart Symington of Missouri.

White Draws 2 Opponents

Three candidates are seeking the Democratic nomination as state commissioner of agriculture.

The incumbent, John C. White, is opposed by Bill Jones who operates a nursery at Kermit, and Jim Barber of Wylie, a former employee of the state agricultural department.

The agricultural commissioner is elected for two years and gets a salary of \$15,000 a year.

He heads the state department of agriculture. His duties include the administration of state laws regarding to production, marketing, etc., of farm products. He also is in charge of weights and measures, seed testing, control of insect pests, plant quarantines and certification of livestock feed.

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BILL JONES

Nurseryman Candidate For Farm Chief

Bill Jones, a Kermit nurseryman, is a candidate for state commissioner of agriculture.

His platform is "honesty, efficiency, co-operation and attending to the affairs of the department."

Jones, who completed his high school education in 1935, once worked in the oil fields. He attended John Tarleton State College and North Texas Agricultural College.

During World War II, Jones served in the Navy aboard the U.S.S. Rednor.

He has been in the nursery business at Kermit for eight years.

Jones was married to the former Miss Clara Nell Fitzgerald of Stephenville in 1938. They have one daughter, 15. They are members of the Church of Christ at Kermit.

J. M. Barber To Fight For Agriculture

Jim Barber, a candidate for state agriculture commissioner, wants to "restore the Texas Department of Agriculture to its rightful place."

Barber says "the department is an essential branch of our state government."

He pledges that if elected he will see that it "efficiently serves all the agricultural interests of our state to the exclusion of none but for the common good of all."

Barber, 60, is a native of Dallas. He is a high school graduate. He formerly served as clerk of the Criminal District Court of the late Judge Grover Adams of Dallas.

A one-time farm hand, Barber moved to Wylie, Collin County, where "I raised hogs until June, 1951."

At that time he was employed by the State Department of Agriculture. He resigned this position May 3 to run for the office.



JIM BARBER

IF YOU WANT TO VOTE IN TEXAS THIS YEAR, READ THIS

The requirements for voting in Texas are few.

You must be a citizen, a resident of the state and county, and must have paid your poll tax if you are legally required to do so.

To be more specific, you must have lived in Texas a year, and for six months in the county in which you cast your ballot, to be eligible.

You must have a poll tax receipt if you are between the ages of 21 and 60 to be eligible to vote.

Those past 60 who meet the other requirements are not required to pay a poll tax, but must obtain an exemption certificate from the county tax office.

Earl Rudder Vs Ned Price

The battle for Democratic nomination as commissioner of the general land office has only two contestants—the incumbent, Earl Rudder of Brady, and Ned Price, county judge of Tyler.

Rudder was appointed in January of 1955 by Gov. Allan Shivers after Bascom Giles refused to qualify for the two-year term, and is believed to be the first state elective official to serve a full term upon appointment.

The commissioner receives \$17,500 a year.

He is chief administrative officer of the general land office which sells, leases and otherwise administers public school lands and University of Texas lands.

The commissioner administers the controversial veterans' land program, and is ex-officio chairman of the public school land board, the University of Texas land board, the veterans' land board and other state mineral lease boards.

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Earl Rudder Is Seeking His First Elected Office

Earl Rudder, commissioner of the General Land Office, is seeking his first elected term in the July 28 Democratic primary on the dual platform of a continued support to veterans under the Veterans' Land Program, and progress in administration of the General Land Office.

Rudder took over his present job in January, 1955, and has since concentrated on "restoring confidence in the Veterans' Land Program, through efforts as chairman of the Veterans' Land Board.

He has worked toward restoration and preservation of records, maps, surveys and other valuable documents of his office.

During World War II, Rudder, as colonel, was given command of the 109th Infantry of the 28th Division.

After the war, he returned to teaching near Brady, then became vice-president of the



EARL RUDDER

Brady Aviation Corp. He served six years as Brady mayor, and was a member of the State Board of Public Welfare for two years.

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Ned Price Is Candidate For Land Commissioner

Ned Price, candidate for Land Commissioner, enters the race during his fourth term as County Judge of Smith County.

Recommendations for the state land office that Price pledges to support include: More frequent audits of all records of the General Land Office; a freer public inspection of the records; and strict compliance with the laws pertaining to the sale and leasing of tidelands, of public free school, asylum, and university lands.

He wants action taken to make it a penal offense for the commissioner or any employee of the land office to destroy an original document, paper, minute, map or book on file in the office.

He also recommends official monthly reports to the public concerning funds handled in the office; and wants a complete investigation of the veterans' land fraud cases.



NED PRICE

Price's previous record includes 17 years as a lawyer, three terms in the Texas House of Representatives and past director of the Texas Public Welfare Assn.



Candidates To Be Selected At Convention

TEXAS REPUBLICANS chose to go by the convention route, rather than hold primary elections, in naming candidates for county, district, state and national offices.

Although, under state law, they were permitted to hold primaries, they were not required to, as they did not poll 200,000 votes for their candidate for governor two years ago.

State-wide precinct conventions will be held by the Republicans July 21, at which time the various precincts will elect their precinct chairman, or executive committee man, and select delegates to the county conventions.

THE COUNTY conventions will be held Aug. 4, and, at this session, the candidates for county offices will be selected. It is uncertain as yet how many of these county offices will be sought by G.O.P. candidates.

However, Harris County Republicans are confident they will have a full, or nearly full, slate of state legislative candidates, and possibly candidates for a county commissioner, and a constable in it.

District conventions are scheduled for Aug. 14.

At these conventions, the candidates for congressman and for any other district office to be sought will be selected.

THE COUNTY conventions also will select delegates to the Republican state convention, to be held in Corpus Christi on Aug. 28. At this convention, the candidates for state offices will be selected.

The Republicans are believed certain to have a candidate for governor and probably some other state offices.

The Texas delegates to the Republican national convention, starting Aug. 20 at San Francisco, were named at a state convention in Houston May 22.

At the same time, H. J. Porter of Houston and Mrs. John R. Black of Dallas were named national committeeman and committeewoman, subject to confirmation of the national convention.

THE TEXAS delegation is due to submit one resolution to the national convention which may prove controversial.

This is a resolution favoring the Bricker amendment or some form of it.

As President Eisenhower has expressed opposition to this amendment, a fight within the convention over inserting approval of it in the party platform is likely.

Famed Names In State Race

The position of state treasurer, custodian of the state's cash and securities, is sought by two men in the Democratic primary this year.

The opponents are the incumbent, Jesse James of Austin, and Warren G. Harding of Dallas.

The position, a two-year term, pays \$17,500 a year.

The state treasurer, in addition to guarding the state's finances, collects some taxes, including those on cigarettes, beer and wine, and is an ex-officio member of the state banking board.

He also keeps the state's financial statistics.

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Jesse James' Platform Is 'Fairness to All'

Jesse James, state treasurer since 1942, seeks re-election on a platform of "economy, efficiency and courtesy, based on a proven record of honesty, integrity and fairness to all."

James, a native of Milam County, points to some startling figures to back his platform statements.

He has handled over \$8,000,000,000 in taxpayers' money without loss of a cent, the state audit books show.

During his administration, the depository interest income earned from the state's funds on deposit with Texas banks had grown from \$105,000 a year to almost \$2,000,000 a year.

During his administration, he points out, he has reduced the costs per dollar handled by 46.9 per cent.

James the eldest of 10 children, is a former cotton merchant and merchant in Cameron.

He served three terms as

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DALLAS COUNTY TREASURER

Warren G. Harding Seeks State Treasurer's Office

Warren G. Harding, 35-year-old treasurer of Dallas County, seeks election as state treasurer.

His platform is "economy, efficiency, honesty and integrity" and a "proposed fair and equitable distribution of state funds which are deposited in Texas banks."

"I plan to run the office with the best efficiency possible," said Harding. "I want to be fair to all the banks of Texas and not to a special group. I want to work for the best interest of all the people of Texas."

Harding was born on a farm in Collin County, and attended North Texas State College and Southern Methodist University. Married, and the father of two children, Harding is a veteran of World War II.

He is past president of the County Treasurers Assn. of Texas, president of the Alum-



JESSE JAMES

state representative before his appointment as assistant state treasurer. He was appointed state treasurer to fill an unexpired term, then elected to the post.

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WARREN G. HARDING

ni Assn. of North Texas State, member of the American Legion, S.M.U. Alumni Assn. and the Baptist Church.

SIX CANDIDATES RUNNING

Governor's Race Holds State Political Spotlight

The race for the Democratic nomination as governor, with six candidates, as usual is taking the 1956 Texas political spotlight.

The two leading candidates are generally considered to be Price Daniel, United States senator, a conservative, and Ralph Yarborough, Austin attorney and twice before a gubernatorial candidate, who is a "loyalist" Democrat.

W. Lee O'Daniel, former governor and senator and now a Dallas insurance man, is the unknown quantity. From previous experience, politicians are reluctant to low-rate his chances, but still figure him as no better than third.

The other candidates are Reuben Senterfitt of San Saba, former speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, J. Evetts Haley, a rancher-historian of Canyon, and J. J. Holmes, Austin contractor.

All but Yarborough, and possibly Holmes, are considered in the conservative ranks.

The governor, as chief administrative officer of the state, is the highest paid official in Texas with an annual salary of \$25,000.

He has the power to approve or veto bills passed by the state legislature and to call the legislature into special session.

He appoints the heads of the various state agencies, members of boards and commissions and fills vacancies in certain state and district offices, all with the advice and consent of the state senate.

The governor also is commander-in-chief of the Texas National Guard and is an ex-officio member of many state boards. He has the power of granting paroles and pardons, upon recommendation of the state board of pardons and paroles.

SENATE ELECTION DUE IF DANIEL IS NOMINATED

Texans may elect a new senator at the general election Nov. 6.

United States Sen. Price Daniel is a candidate for governor of Texas. If he wins the Democratic nomination, he plans to resign his present office immediately so an election to fill the senate seat can be held on Nov. 6.

The Republicans are expected to enter a candidate in this contest. In this type of contest, the candidate with the most votes wins the post. There is no runoff.

However, the winner of such a special election would only serve until 1958, the expiration date of Daniel's term.

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Daniel Pledges Honesty Drive

Sen. Price Daniel, former state attorney general and speaker of the state House of Representatives, is a leading contender for the Democratic nomination as governor.

Daniel has announced that he will resign his United States Senate post immediately if nominated.

Integrity Program

The cornerstone of his program, if elected governor, will be "simple honesty and moral integrity in the halls of government," he said in announcing his candidacy.

He proposes an 11-man law enforcement commission with power to investigate any allegations of misconduct relating to state officials, and enactment of a strict lobby registration law, with legislators banned from practicing law before state boards and agencies.

New school construction and an increase in teachers' pay and retirement benefits are a must, he said, although opposing federal aid and federal controls. Local self-government of the schools is essential, he believes.

He has promised to employ every legal means to back up local determination on the school segregation problem.

Dope Control

Tighter control against the narcotics traffic, also is a plank in his platform. He headed a Senate judiciary subcommittee which made a nationwide survey of the narcotics situation, which in turn, resulted in stringent antidope bills being introduced before Congress.

Daniel also supports a far-reaching highway improvement program, increased old age assistance and an improved state hospital program and a long-range water conservation program.

He will favor a state constitutional amendment to allow Texas to spend money advertising the state, pointing out that Texas is the only state with a constitutional prohibition against this.

He believes that Texas has a great opportunity to attract new industries because of its

FIRST CONSTITUTION

Texas' first constitutional government dates from 1824, when the Mexican state of Coahuila-Texas was granted a constitution under the Mexican constitution of 1824.



PRICE DANIEL

natural resources and the present federal control of interstate gas sales.

Other Points

Full support for the welfare of farmers and ranchers, improvements in the state insurance laws and a completely balanced budget are among other points in his program.

A strong opponent of a general sales tax and a state income tax, he urges a long-range study of the tax program.

Daniel was born in Liberty, Oct. 10, 1910, the descendant of pioneer Texans. His wife, the former Jean Houston Baldwin of Houston, whom he married in 1940, is a great-granddaughter of Sam Houston.

He was graduated from Baylor University with degrees in journalism and law, and received an honorary doctor of laws degree in 1951. Admitted to the bar in 1932, he opened a law office in Liberty where he was active in civic affairs.

Speaker in 1943

He served in the state legislature for three years, starting in 1939, and became speaker in 1943. While speaker he enlisted in the Army and served until the middle of 1946.

After his discharge from the Army, he immediately campaigned for attorney general and was elected to the first of the three terms he served in that office. He has served as United States senator for four years, and played a major role in recovery of the tidelands for Texas.

The Daniels have four children.

Holmes Favors Track Betting

J. J. Holmes, Austin contractor, is making his second bid for the Democratic nomination as governor.

The main, and almost only, plank in his platform is a call for legalized parimutuel horse racing in the state.

This legalized betting, he declared, "will be the solution to all of our troubles as it will give the state money to do something with, and not burden the people with more taxes."

He further claimed that his program would bring in more than \$100,000,000 a year in taxes.

He recently announced that he had cancelled his speaking program, which had not been too arduous, to give all his time to finding the person responsible for the auto bombing of Sam McCollum III, Brady attorney, a key witness in the state veterans land scandal probe.

He has said he would pay \$10,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction

of the bomber or bombers; but his time limit for such information has expired.

Holmes, who is 49, is owner and operator of the J. J. Holmes Co., general contractors of Austin.

The candidate has lived in Austin for 10 years. A high school graduate, he has taken a number of engineering courses at several universities.

He has been married 30 years and he and his wife have four sons. He is a member of the Methodist church and his wife is a Baptist.

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State's Rights Is Haley Platform

J. Evetts Haley, ranch manager and Southwest historian from Canyon, is basing his campaign to win the Democratic nomination for governor almost entirely on one issue—states' rights.

He resigned as an active leader of the Constitution party of Texas to wage his fight for the Democratic nomination.

Haley declares that recent Supreme Court decisions mean: "Federal control of any essential business is approved by a dishonest interpretation of the Constitution; agriculture and industry are completely subject to political whim and expediency; property and labor of all men are subject to federal control; the local courthouse is robbed of its police powers; and the Constitution and the Bill of Rights are destroyed."

Interposition Plank

He calls for interposition, as meaning complete control of Texas schools by Texas people;



J. EVETTS HALEY

the legal means of stopping "immoral and destructive" federal power at the state line and the "actual preservation of the Constitution and the Bill of Rights."

Haley was born in Belton on July 5, 1901 and was raised at Midland. He attended West Texas State College and University of Texas where he received his B.A. and M.A. degrees.

In Hall of Fame

He is a member of the executive committee and a trustee of the national Cowboy Hall of Fame.

He was a member of the history department of the University of Texas from 1929 to 1936, when he returned to the cow country to become general manager of more than 300,000 acres of range operations.

The author of 10 books of history and biography, Haley has received numerous awards of merit in scholarship and writing.



J. J. HOLMES

Voting Intelligently Is Citizens' Responsibility

TOO MANY citizens are inclined to show distaste when the word "politics" is mentioned. They have the idea that politics is dirty and they, as clean and upright citizens, will have nothing to do with it.

Politics is only as dirty as the people permit it to be.

Webster defines politics as "the science and art of government." In practice, politics is government. The United States is a republic, governed by the elected representatives of the people. Ours is a government "of the people, by the people, for the people."

WHEN CITIZENS fail to participate in politics through the medium of the ballot box, they are leaving the field open to organized minorities acting as a political machine to capture elections.

Apathy and indifference by the voters breed abuses of the representative system. Apathetic citizens must share the blame when government becomes corrupt.

The apathy begins to make itself apparent when the time comes for citizens to qualify themselves as voters. Texas requires payment of a poll tax. Citizens may pay the \$1.50 tax from Oct. 1 through Jan. 31. Usually, only half of those eligible to qualify as voters pay their poll taxes.

THE APATHY shows itself again at the elections, when only a fraction of the qualified voters turn out to cast their ballots.

Many important elections here have been decided by a comparative handful of voters.

When voters are so apathetic, why

should they be shocked by poor government or corrupt government?

YOU CAN'T achieve integrity through legislation. Integrity in government is achieved by electing honest, capable persons to public office. An honest man will conduct his office honestly. A capable man will give his constituents the kind of government to which they are entitled.

The voter has a twofold responsibility. He should make a diligent effort to inform himself to the best of his ability on the background, qualifications and character of the candidates seeking public office. He should inform himself on the merits and demerits of the issues to be voted on.

Then the citizen should go to his polling place and cast an intelligent vote. Casting an intelligent vote does not necessarily mean that the citizen votes for any one faction.

IT MEANS that he has informed himself well as to each candidate and issue, and votes according to his convictions for honest and capable candidates who hold views nearest his own.

Too many voters are prone to select candidates on the basis of prejudice or propaganda. Emotional votes are highly susceptible to deception by a demagogue. Reason, not emotion, should be the controlling factor in a voter's decisions.

It is a civic duty for each citizen to inform himself on candidates and issues, then vote. To help citizens perform their duty is the objective of this special section.

Final Vote On Nov. 6

Presidential, Congress Election Tops Calendar

BY WALTER MANSELL
Chronicle Staff

THE nation's political year will be climaxed Nov. 6 when the voters march to the polls all over the country to choose a President and vice-president, and to decide the makeup of the Congress for the next two years.

The Republican presidential and vice-presidential candidates, almost certain to be Dwight D. Eisenhower and Richard Nixon, will be chosen at the national convention in San Francisco starting Aug. 20.

The Democrats will choose their candidates for these offices in Chicago at the convention starting Aug. 13.

ACTIVELY campaigning are Adlai Stevenson of Illinois, Sen. Estes Kefauver of Tennessee and Gov. Averill Harriman of New York.

Less active, but considered "dark horses," are Sen. Lyndon Johnson of Texas, Sen. Stuart Symington of Missouri and Gov. Frank Lausche of Ohio.

All of the United States representatives and one third of the senators will be elected this year.

The President and vice-president are not elected by a popular vote but by electoral votes.

AT the Republican national convention, 663 delegate votes are necessary, from the 1323 total votes, to win. The Democrats have 1372 delegates and thus 687 votes are needed to capture the nomination.

Texas, with 24 electoral votes and the sixth largest delegations at both the Republican and Democratic national conventions, will play an important role on the national political scene again this year.

Texas will elect 22 congressmen at the November election. It has only one Republican—Bruce Alger of Dallas.

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Dem Primary On July 28 In Spotlight

Texas Republicans To Nominate At Aug. 28 Convention

The Democratic primary of July 28, and the runoff Aug. 25, will hold the spotlight of state political activities this year, as usual.

On those dates, the Democratic nominees for state and local offices, as well as for Congress, will be selected.

The Republicans will select their candidates for some state offices at their state nominating convention Aug. 28.

A number of the present incumbents are lucky enough to escape opposition. But there are nine state-wide contests with the governor's race receiving the most attention.

The governor's race, with six candidates, has the most entries, and probably will require a runoff.

Four men are seeking the nomination for lieutenant governor, the same number as are in the attorney general's contest.

Three are after the commissioner of agriculture's post and two each have filed for congressman-at-large, land commissioner, state treasurer, judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals, and associate justice of the Texas Supreme Court Place 3.

Both the conservative and liberal factions of the Democratic party are working hard to capture the precinct conventions on July 28.

Texas voters also will ballot on a number of state constitutional amendments at the general election on Nov. 6.

MAJOR POLITICAL CALENDAR

Here are the seven most important dates on the 1956 political calendar:

July 28—Democratic Primary Election.

August 13—Democratic National Convention.

August 20—Republican National Convention.

August 25—Democratic Runoff Primary Election.

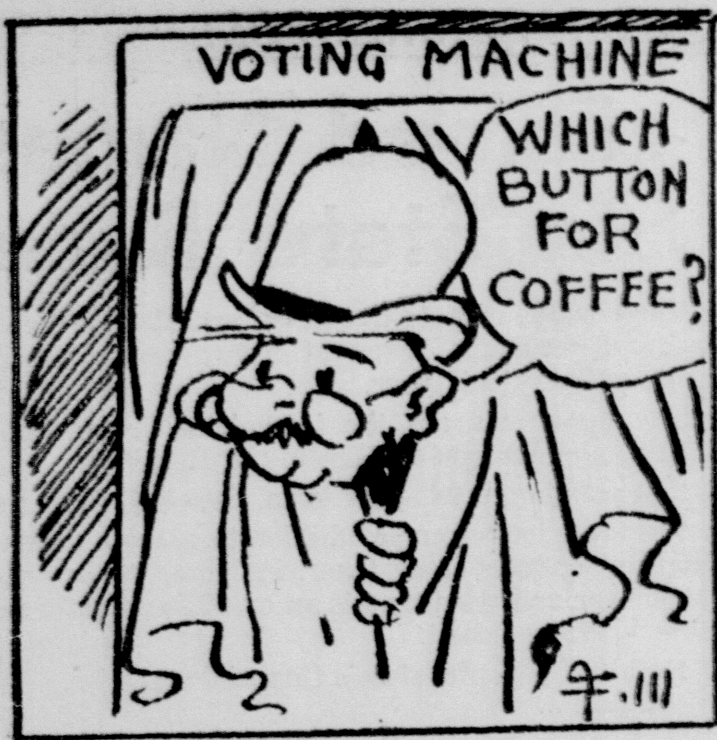
August 28—Republican State Convention, Corpus Christi.

September 11—Democratic State Convention, San Antonio.

November 6—National Election Day.

A complete political calendar is on Page 7.





Interposition Referendum To Appear on Most Ballots

A racial and interposition referendum will appear on all but a very few of the 254 Texas counties' primary ballots at the first primary on July 28.

There was considerable conflict over the referendum in the Harris County executive committee and the Bexar and Kleberg County committees refused to put the question on the ballot.

Three Questions

The referendum contains three questions:

1. Repeal of the compulsory school attendance laws when white and Negro children are mixed in the public schools.

2. Perfection of the state law barring intermarriage between Negroes and whites.

3. Use of interposition to "halt illegal federal encroachment" on states' rights.

Signers Number 153,000

The referendum was certified for appearance on the ballot to the county committees by the Democratic state executive committee, after it was presented with petitions bearing more than 153,000 signatures calling for the vote.

Under state law, signatures totaling at least 10 per cent of the vote in the last governor's election require such a referendum, the state committee ruled. The 153,000 signatures were several thousand more than were needed.

Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd ruled that placing of the referendum on the ballot was mandatory.

The signatures were obtained in a state-wide petition drive and were presented to the state committee just prior to the holding of the state convention May 22.

A move to oust the state

committee, controlled by conservatives, was defeated at the state convention.

It was reported that House Speaker Sam Rayburn, who wielded great influence at the

convention, wanted the present committee to stay in power until a new one is elected in September, so that it would have to deal with the controversial referendum.

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION

WHEN: Starts Monday, Aug. 20.

WHERE: Cow Palace, San Francisco, Cal.

PERMANENT CHAIRMAN: Rep. Joseph W. Martin of Mass.

TEXAS Convention Votes: 54.

TEXAS Delegation Leader: H. J. Porter of Houston.

TOTAL VOTES: 1323; needed to nominate, 662.
Probable Nominees: President Eisenhower and Vice-President Nixon.

DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION

WHEN: Starts Monday, Aug. 13.

WHERE: International Amphitheater, Chicago, Ill.

PERMANENT CHAIRMAN: Speaker Sam Rayburn of Texas.

TEXAS Convention Votes: 56.

TEXAS Delegation Leader: Sen. Lyndon Johnson.

TOTAL VOTES: 1372; needed to nominate: 687.

CONTENTERS: For Presidential Nomination: Adlai Stevenson of Illinois; Gov. Averell Harriman of New York; Gov. Frank Lausche of Ohio; Sen. Stuart Symington of Missouri; Sen. Estes Kefauver of Tennessee; Sen. Lyndon Johnson of Texas.

TWO CANDIDATES

Appeals Court Position Open

Although there are three judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals, only one will be elected this year. The terms are for six years and are overlapping, so that one is elected every two years.

The court is the state's highest tribunal in criminal cases and its judges are paid \$17,500 a year.

Two are seeking the Democratic nomination for the open judgeship, W. A. Morrison of Cameron, the incumbent, and Jesse Owens, an attorney of Vernon.

Morrison Is Seeking Re-election

W. A. Morrison, presiding judge of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, seeks re-election to the high court following a political career of 23 years.

Morrison was elected to his present post in 1950.

A native of Cameron, 47-year-old Morrison was initiated into the field of public service as district attorney of the 20th Judicial District. At 24, he was then the youngest man to hold such an office in Texas.

In 1933 he was graduated from the University of Texas law school. Later he was elected president of the District and County Attorneys Assn. of Texas.

Morrison comes from 11 generations of Baptist ministers on his mother's side, and his father was a practicing lawyer in Milam County for 55 years.



JESSE OWENS

Jesse Owens Is Asking Promotion

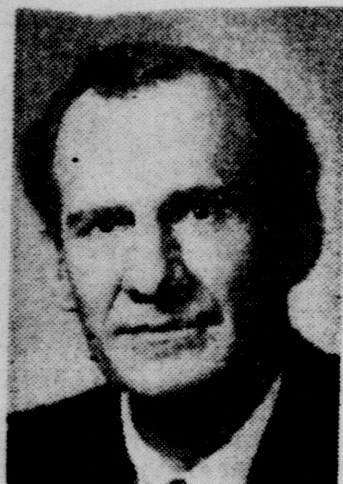
District Judge Jesse Owens of Vernon is asking promotion this year to the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals.

Since his admission to the bar in 1927 Owens has practiced law continuously and has served four years as county judge of Foard County; district attorney (46th District, for four years) and assistant attorney general for three years.

He has served as judge of the 46th Judicial District since 1949.

As a lawyer and trial judge, Owen says he has "always looked to the established law as my rule and guide, and if elected it shall be my purpose to follow the same rule."

He contends that if statutes need to be changed, action should be taken by the Legislature, and feels the Court of Criminal Appeals should not change its decisions so frequently.



W. A. MORRISON



TYPICAL CONVENTION WHOOPLA

Parades in behalf of various presidential hopefuls feature the national conventions of the two major parties. A typical parade is shown above. Actually, this was taken in Houston in 1928 when the Democrats held their national conven-

tion here, ending in the nomination of Al Smith of New York. These parades give the delegates, usually bored by the lengthy routine convention proceedings, a chance to let off some steam. (A.P. Wirephoto)